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ARRIVALS. May 17, Chihara Mabu, Japan. bark, 441, H. Kawaoka, Nagasaki 2nd May, Coal.	COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. Incorporated 7th and 18th March, 1848.	NOTICE. WE have This Day entered into PART- NERSHIP as SHARE and GENE-	PUBLIC AUCTION / THE Undersigned has received instructions	TANE, CRAWFORD & CO. HAVE FOR SALE,— EX "PRIHO," "GLENARTNEY," &c., &c.:-	IN THE MATTER OF THE TRUST DEED FOR THE BENEFIX OF THE CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANA
-MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA. -MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA. -MITSU BUSSAN KAISHA.	Recognised by the International Convention of 30th-April, 1802. CAPITAL FULLY PAIN-UP	RAL BROKERS, under the Style of "COHEN	the 22nd May, 1880, at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road.—	CRRISTY'S DRAB and BLACK FELT and STRAW HATS. CALCUTTA PITH HATS and HELMETS.	WILLIAM MCGREGOR SMITH. TOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING	"DIOMED." Captain M. H. F. Jackson, will be despu
Swire	CAPITAL FULLY PAID-UP	Hongkong, 17th May, 1880. [1m840] NOTICE	English-made Walout Cretonne-covered Drawing-room SUITE. CHEFFONIER with GLASS Marble-ton	"Automaton Patent" UMBRELLAS. FRENCH CALF, KID, and PATENT LEATHER SHOES. JEFFRIES' LAWN TENNIS BATS & BALLS.	of the CREDITORS of the above Estate will be held pursuant to the 167th Section of the Ordinance No. 5 of 1864, before the Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, at the Court House of	For Freight or Passage, upply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIKE, Age
Swatow 17th May, General.—Butter- rrend & Swine.	AGENCIES AND BRANCHES AT: LONDON, BOURDON, SAN FRANCISCO,	I INTEND to continue Business as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and COMMISSION	TABLES, CHIMNEY GLASSES, OLEO- GRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS, and HEARTH- RUGS. Extension DINING TABLE, DINNER, DES-	LAWN TENNIS SETS. PONY HARNESS, BRIDLES, &c., Lady's and Gontlemen's RIDING WHIPS:	Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, on FRI-	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPAN
ULEARANCICS AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, MAY 18TH.	MARSEILLEB, BOMBAY, HONORONG, LYONS, CALOUTTA, HANKOW, NANTES, SHANGHAI, FOOGIOW.	AGENT in Foochow, under the Name of "John GITTINS & Co." JOHN GITTINS. Foochow, 1st January, 1880. [533]	SERT, and BREAKFAST SETS. GLASS and PLATED WARE, WHATNOTS, Dining- room CHAIRS, GASALIERS & BRACKETS.	ASMANTEE HAMMOCKS. FRENCH COFFEE MACHINES for 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 Cups. EAU DE COLOGNE, in Half-Pints, Pints.	of the whole Estate collected by him, and of the Property outstanding, specifying the cause of	FOR SHANGHAI, VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through for Cheroo, Newchwang, Tientsin, Ha
Usmeralda, British steamer, for Amoy. Hainan, American steamer, for Hoihow. Kwangtung, British steamer, for East Coast. Strathearn. British bark, for Vancouver's	THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.	NOTIOE.	English-made Walnut Marble-top SIDE-BOARD with GLASS. Double and Single BEDSTEADS, English-made Mahogany WARDROBE, WARDROBE	HENDRIES PERFUMES, ESS. BOUQUET, JOCKEY CLUB, &c., &c.	Cris came so or eventuals, and or are the reaction	THE Company's Steamship
Killarney, British steamer, for Foochew.	Or Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Credits on all parts of the world;	Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama. REISS & Co.	With PLATE GLASS DOORS, BURGAU with GLASS, Marble-top TOILET TABLE and WASHETAND	HAIR, CLOTHES, and NAIL BRUSHES. LIGHT SUMMER SCARVES and NECK-TIES. CAMBRIC HANDKERCHIEFS, COLLARS, &c.	ments. And the Mosting will declare by reso- lation whether any and what part of the said produce of the Estate (after making a reason-	Captain R. T. Power, will be despatche MORROW, the 20th instant, at Daylight For Freight or Passage, apply to
Determinant to Distribution 2 of the	and transacts every description of Banking Ex- change Business: E. G. VOUILLEMONT, Manager, Shanghai.	TO BE LET.	A SEMI-GRAND PIANO. &c., &c., &c., Catalogues will be issued.	AMERICAN ICE PITCHERS. ICE PAILS and TONGS. ELECTRO-PLATED LIQUOR, CRUET, and	able deduction for future contingencies) shall be divided amongst the Creditors. In the meantime Proofs of Debt will be received by the Undersigned.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1980. FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOD
May 18, ESMERALDA, British str., for Amoy. May 18, HAINAN, American str., for Hollow. May 18, Sumatra, American ship, for San	20th May, 1879. [10]	SUMMER RESIDENCE, KOLANGSU,	TERMS OF SALE.—As oustomary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [849]	SAUCE FRAMES. ELECTRO-PLATED TEA and COFFEE SER- VICES. ELECTRO-PLATED BISCUIT BOXES.	Dated this 29th day of April, 1880. BRERETON AND WOTTON, Solicitors for the Trustee.	THE Steamship "KWANGTUNG."
PASSENCIERS.	_(INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).	June till 31st October, the BUNGALOW lately occupied by the Rev. W. McGregor and	PUBLIC AUCTION.	ELECTRO-PLATED FRUIT KNIVES and FORKS, in Cases. ELECTRO-PLATED SPOONS and FORKS.	ACHEONG, LATE OF HONGRONG, MERCHANT,	Captain Abbott, will be despatched fabove Ports TO-MORROW, the 20th-in Daylight, instead of as previously adverting For Freight or Passage, apply to
Per Diomed, str., from Swatow.—415 Chinese, Per Teucer, str., from London, &3.—2 cabin, and 198 Chinese.	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.	his family. For Particulars as to Accommoda- tion, Furniture, and Rent, apply to the Rev. W. S. SWANSON, Amoy; or, here to	TUESDAY, the 25th day of May, 1880, at Noon, at	RODGER'S BONE and IVORY TABLE CUTLERY. WATERLOW & DE LA RUE'S STATIONERY.	NOTICE is hereby given, that all Creditors and other Persons baying any CLAIMS	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Agents. Hongkong, 19th May, 1880.
Por Haman, str., for Hollow.—20 Chinese.	At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum. At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum.	J. G. SMITH & Co. 5, Duddell Street, Hongkong, 18th May, 1880. [2d841]	"THE VICTORIA FOUNDRY" (if not previously sold by Private Contract, of which due notice will be given), the	PLAYING CARDS and WHIST MARKERS. MACKIE'S EXCHANGE TABLES, from 3s. 4d. to 6s. 4d.	or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of KWOK ACHEONG, who died at Victoria in the Island of Hongkong on the 22nd day of	THE Steamship
Per Kwangtung, str., for East Const.—4 En- ropeums and 160 Chinese. Per Conquest, str., for Holliow, &c.—18 Chi- ness for Holliow, 11 Chinese for Pakhoi, and 21	Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application. GEO. O. SCOTT, Acting Manager.	HOUSES TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE, No. 9, MOSQUE TERRACE: Water and Gas laid on.	lately carried on by Messrs. J. INGLIS & Co.,	CALDECOTT'S TOY BOOKS. "Little Devils" CIGARETTES, without Paper.	April, 1880, and whose Will was duly proved by KWOK YIN KAI and KWOK YUNG Po, of No. 8, Queen's Read West, Victoria, aforesaid, in the Supreme Court of Hongkong, in its Probate	Captain Roper, will be despatched for the Port TO-MORROW, the 20th instant, a
Chinese for Haiphong. Per Strathearn, for Vancouver's Island.—435 Chinese.	Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. [12]	NIGHED, with Good Tennis Lawn and Garden. Apply to LINSTEAD & Co.	known as the "VICTOBIA FOUNDRY," situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, together with all the VALUABLE PLANT, MACHINERY, TOOLS, and STOCKIN-TRADE, and the	CIGARETTES, "Plantour Algérien." "Golden Cloud" TOBACCO. PORCELAIN DESKI TABLETS.	Jurisdiction, on the 30th day of April, 1880, are bereby required to send, in writing, the Partion- lars of their CLAIMS or DEMANDS to the	For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL Hongkong, 19th May, 1880.
Per Killarney, str., for Foochow -30 Chinese.	CAPITAL E800,000.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. [179] TO BE LET,	TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, and STEAM LAUNCHES, a Large Stook of Valuable PATTERNS, and the GOODWILL of	CHEMICAL FOOD. "COWSLIP WINE"—An Old English Favourite, perfected by Modern Appliances, Pale.	I TOW SHOW IT OT YOUR, THE CONTRICTE OF THE BRID	PHONG.
Europeans and 70 Chinese. REPORTS	Bankers.	With Possession about the 15th May next, EA VIEW. TWO IX-ROOMED HOUSES and a BUNGALOW at top of ELGIN STREET, now in course of construction on the	the BUSINESS. The PLANT, MACHINERY, and TOOLS comprise the following:—	Brilliant, and Slightly Sparkling. This Wine is made from the Fresh and Fragrant Flowers of the WILD COWSLIPS, which	And Notice is hereby also given, that at the	"PING ON." Captain McCasling shortly due, will h
The British steamship Teucer reports left London on 25th March, and Singapore on 11th May. Encountered unsettled weather in the Chius Sea.	THE CITY BANK. THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.	site of the late Lusitano Theatre. Apply to DAVIS & Co.	Six Surfacing, SLIDING, SCREW CUTTING LATHES, all by first class makers, asserted beights and lengths, from 4 feet distance between contres to 26 feet ditto, and from 6 inch	cover the Leicestershire Meadows.	Expiration of the last mentioned day the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po will pro- ceed to distribute the Assets of the said Kwok	For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL
The Japanese bark Chilwy & Mara reports left. Nagasaki on 2nd May at 4 a.m. The first part of the passage had light N.E. winds and fine	opines for collection Bills of Frakence, and I	With Immediate Possession.	height of centres to 16 inch ditto, fitted with making-up Blocks, Face Plates, Driver Chucks and Dock Chucks, Screw Gear, &c.		ACHEONG, amongst the Parties entitled thereto, having regard to the Claims of which the said KWOE YIN KAI and KWOE YUNG PO, or their Solicitors, the said Messrs. Breferon and	FOR SAIGON (DIRECT).
and fine weather. The latter part light E. and	business.	Offices and Godowns attached. "FAIRLEA," as a whole or divided, with	Four Double Gear and Single Gear DRILL- ING MACHINES, assorted sizes, by SMITH, BEACOCK, and TANNETT.	IN BANKRUPTCY. IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN	WOTTON, have then had notice; and that the said Kwok Yin Kai and Kwok Yung Po will not be liable for the Assets, or any part thereof,	Captain Irvine, will be despatched for the
SINGAPORE SHIPPING.	RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS. ON CUBRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 %, PER ANNUM ON THE DAILY BALANCE.	separate entrances and Gardens, Tennis Lawn, &c. Commodious GODOWNS and Water side STORAGE.	One PLANING MACHINE, by same makers, 10 feet by 4 feet. One Pewerful SCREWING MACHINE, with Taps and Dies.	T EASEHOLD PROPERTY for SALE, by	so distributed, to any person of whose Claim the said Kwok YIN KAI and Kwok YUNG Po had not had notice at the time of the distribu-	instead of as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to KUNG OI
5, General Pel; Dutch steamer, from Acheen. 5, Zamboanga, Spanish str., from Samarang. 5, Eastern Isles, Brit. str., from Sourabaya. 5, Cheang H. Kian, Brit. str., from Swatow.	- ON FIXED DEPOSITS. FOR 3 MONTHS, 3 % PNB ANNUM.	Hongkong, 5th May, 1880. DAVIS & Co. [281]	One Eight Horse-power ENGINE and BOILER, for Driving Machinery. One very Substantial 74 owt. STEAM HAM.	Assignee of the Estate, the residue of a term of 21 years, commencing from the 1st day of Jan-	BRERETON AND WOTTON.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPA
5. Fathol Carle, Dutch bark, from Amboina. 5. Hankow, British steamer, from Cardiff. 6. Kashgar, British steamer, from Shanghai.	FOR 6 MONTHS, 4° (, PER ANNUM. FOR 12 MONTHS, 5° (, PER ANNUM. WILLIAM FORREST,	HOLLYWOOD ROAD, containing 6 Rooms and Out-houses.	MER, by Harvey & Co. One Hundred and Fifty Feet DRIVING SHAFTING, with WALL BRACKETS, PULLEYS, &c.	wary. 1874, at the monthly rental of \$300, of MARINE LOT No. 31, and the Western portion of MARINE LOT No. 36, together with the MESSUAGES. WORKSHOPS, and	NOTICE.	FOR SHANGHAI, VIA AMO Taking Cargo and Passengers at throng for Cheroo, Newchward, Tientsin, H
5. Tambora. Dutch steamer, from Batavia. 6. Krumahtah, Siamese str., from Bangkok. 6. Celestial, British steamer, from Manassar.	Hongkong, 10th May, 1850. [1911] LONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING	Nos. 3 and 9, SEYMOUR TERRACE. Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Cc.	One Six Horse power ENGINE and SILENT FAN; and One 30 Fire Roots' PATENT BLOWER, with SHAPTING, &c.	BUILDINGS thereon, known as the Victoria Iron Foundry, and lately in the occupation of JOHN INGLIS & Co.	Propose Sunding a Monthly Indent for NEW MUSIC in their Special Order De-	and Ports on the YANGTSZE.
6. Peshawur, British etcamer, from Bombay. 6. Pluto, Colonial steamer, from Penang. 6. Ajax, British steamer, from Hongkong.	CORPORATION.	Hongkong, 8th April, 1880. [214] TO LET. TWO LARGE and COMMODIOUS ROOMS	Two PUNCHING and SHEARING MA- CHINES. Two Sets BENDI G ROLLS.	Lessor, John S. Laphaik, Esq. Upwards of \$9,000 has been expended upon the Fremises by the Bankrupt since the com-	partment.	"ANCHISES," Captain C. Jackson, will be despatche about the 24th instant.
7, Atholl, British steamer, from Hongkong. 8, Johore, British steamer, from Penang. 8, Louisa III., British str., from Malacca.	COURT OF DIRECTORS :- Chairman—The Hon. W. KESWICK.	Apply to DUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.	One Set GRINDING MACHINERY, STONES, LAPS Ac. Eighteen VICES, with Renchest Ac., and Blacksmith's ANVILS, TOOLS, FORGES.	For further Particulars of the Property and Orders to view, apply to STEPHENS AND HOLMES.		BUTTEEFIELD & SVIRE, A Hongkong, 19th May, 1880.
S. Raibbow, British steamer, from Malacca. S. Ophir, Dutch steamer, from Rhio. S. Aurrera, Spanish steamer, from Liverpool.	Deputy Chairman—A. McIver, Esq. Adolf André, Esq. E. B. Bellios, Esq. H. L. Dairymple, Esq. W. S. Young, Esq.	TO LET. N Marine Let No. 65, FIRST CLASS	and all necessary FITTINGS for Boiler Making. Coppersmith's IRON and BRASS FOUND- ING and other Branches of ENGINEERING.	Solicitors for the Official Assignee. No. 2, Club Chambers, Hongkong, 15th May, 1880. [838]	A BARGAIN. DUNT, 25 feet long, 4 feet beam, partially	ROSE & Co.'s CELEBRATED JUICE CORDIAL.
8. May Flower, British str., from London. 9. Teucer, British steamer, from Liverpool. 9. Merionethshire, British str., from London. 9. Paknam, British steamer, from Bangkok.	H. de Courcy Forbes, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Houghoug—Thomas Jackson, Esq., Manager.	Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1879. [380]	GEAR; Four Iron CUPOLAS, assorted sizes; Five Patent BRASS FURNACES assorted for different sized Crucibles; Large DRXING	MATUREAV AND LANMANIS	decked, quite new, with Oars, Sail. &c., complete; tows very light; draught I inch; Price S12. Also, a shoulder DUCK GUN, double-barrelled, full choke bore, self-attached	ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co
9. Shusydagone, British str., from Penang, 9. Pemba. British steamer, from Calcutta. 10, Benmore, British steamer, from Penang.	Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Bank.	TO LET. To LET	STOVE with Iron Carriage on Rails; Small DRYING STOVES and CORE BENCHES.	CAUTION. Having learned that large quantities of	fore-end, rebounding locks, central fire. Address, "D. P.," care of Daily Press Office.	A RAUTERT MAYNZ'S DE
May— DEPARTURES. 4, R. Brooke, Sarawak str., for Surawak. 4, Pontianak, British steamer, for Cheribon.	Hongkong—Interest ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:—	GROUND FLOORS of HOUSES Nos. 3	Also, A complete Stock of MOULDING BOXES and IRON LADLES, and Coal and Charcoal	IMITATIONS of our FLORIDA WATER bave recently been imported to Hougkong, we caution the Public against PURCHASING any	NOTICE. A LL Persons having CLAIMS against the	Awarded First Prize Medal, Sydney Fal SANDER & Agents.
4. Ganymede, British steamer, for Deli 6. Oriental, British steamer, for Calcutta. 6. Cheang H. Kinn, British str., for Penang. 6. Laertes, British steamer, for London.	For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum.	Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 19th April, 1880. [667	GRINDER and Loam BENCH. The PATTERNS are of all descriptions, and	that does not bear the name MURRAY and LAN- MAN on the label. Each bottle of the GENUINE is wrapped with a Pamphlet printed on paper which has the words "LANMAN and KEMP.	China, and all Persons indebted thereto, are requested to forward their Claims and to make	CANTON INSURANCE OF
6, Orestes, British steamer, for Hongkong. 6, Romeo, British bark, for New York. 6, Billiton, British steamer, for Pontisusk.	LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Scourities, and every description of Banking and Exchange	LEY STREET, lately in the occupation of the Temperance Hall.	PULLEYS, FURNACE BARS, and various DECK FITTINGS. Also, Sets of High- pressure & Compound ENGINE PATTERNS,	New York" in Water Mark. Measrs. ME! CHERS & Co. are our Only Agents for Sale of the Genuine Florida	signed on or before the 80th proxime. J. C. WARDLAW.	SHAREHOLDERS in the above Office
6, Thos. A. Goddard, Am. bark, for Beston. 6, Weazel, British steamer, for Jambie.	business transacted. DBAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	TWO ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Houghoug, 28th April, 1880. [4]	Varying from 4 to 60 Horse power, nominal, Vertical and Horizontal	WATER at Hongkong: LANMAN AND REMP. New York, March 25th, 1880. [Sm826]	Amoy, 21st April, 1880. [1m713] NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	quested to furnish the Undersigned with of their Contendutions for the year 31st December, 1879, in order that the bution of the Profits reserved for the Contendution of the Profits reserved for t
7. W. Mackinson, Dutch str., for Macassar. 7. Brisbane, British steamer, for Hongkong. 7. C. Monarch, British str., for Hongkong.	T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East,	PIECE of GROUND, containing about	DODIES RULE NO 13 RESUREM, DOLLETE	FOR SALE.	TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO	tors may be arranged. Returns not a prior to the 15th June next will be adjuthe Office, and no Chains or Alterations
7. General Pel, Dutch steamer, for Batavia. 7. Zamboanga, Spanish str., for Bangkok. 7. Jupan, British steamer, for Malacca.	Hongrong, 28th April, 1880. CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND	10,000 feet, at Spring Gardens, on Inland Lot No. 199, commanding, a good view of the har- bour. Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON,	PLATES, BOILER TUBES, RIVETS, WASHERS, Charcoal SHEET IRON; BAR IRON, assorted sizes; a large quantity of CAST	CLARETS, at \$134, \$9, \$8, \$7, \$6, and \$44	FROM LIVERPOOL.	JARDINE, MATHESON & General Agents.
8. Eastern Isles, British str., for Sourabaya. 8. Rainbow, British steamer, for Malacca. 8. Kashgar, British steamer, for Bomkay. 8. Peshawur, British steamer, for Hongkong.	CHINA. (INCORPOBATED BY ROYAL CHARTER).	Solicitors, 29, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 5th February, 1880. [264] TO LET.	STEEL BARS, BLISTER STEEL, CAST IRON SHEAVES, CENTRES for Wood Sheaves, PIG IRON, Old CAST IRON, &c.,	CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. CHAMPAGNE, at \$13; FER CASE OF 2 DOZEN PINTS.	inst. for shipment per steamer "ANCHISES." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.	Hongkong, 10th May, 1880. UNION INSURANCE SOCIET CANTON.
8. Atholl, British steamer, for Penang. 8. Louisa III., British steamer, for Malacca. 8. Volonta d'Dio, Italian bark, for Marseilles.	The following RATES of INTEREST are ALLOWED on FIXED DEPOSITS,	COMMODIOUS and DESIRABLE OFFICES' on the Prays. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.—	One STEAM WINCH.	CHAMPAGNE, at \$12; PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN QUARTS. HOCK, at 59 PER CASE OF 1 DOZEN-QUARTS.		- NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDE!
S, Miona, German schooner, for Scoloc. 8, Ophir, Dutch steamer, for Deli. VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS	FOR 12 MONTHS, 5 %, PER ANNUM. FOR 6 MONTHS, 4 %, PER ANNUM. FOR 3 MONTHS, 2 %, PER ANNUM. H. H. WILL SON	Hongkong, 6th February, 1880. [272] TO LET. FURNISHED HOUSE in CAINE ROAD.	Two HAND WINCHES. One JIB CRANE, complete, Four STEAM BOILERS of various powers	BRANDIES, *** and ****, at \$7\frac{1}{2}, \$8\frac{1}{2}, \$81	CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "TEUCER" are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, " landed at the Godowns	CENT. upon Contributions and an INC DIVIDEND of ONE HUNDRED and DOLLARS PER SHARE for the year 1879
(Per last Mail's Advice.) (Per last Mail's Advice.) (Gleniffer (s.)	H. H. NELSON, Manager. Hongkong, 1st June, 1879.	H. A. WOOLNOUGH, Hongkong Dispensery.	One STEAM-LAUNCH, about 60 feet long, with House, Double Engines, &c., complete,	Hongkong, 6th January, 1880. [28	of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignous, risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the	payable on TUESDAY, the 11th instant Warrants may be had on application Office of the Society on and after that de
Werra Mapila April 1 Rosenesth Mapila April 1	LIMITED. Registered in Loudon under the Companies' Act	TO LET. TOLET. THOSE HOUSES situated at Queen's	and VERY FAST. One Deck STEAM-LAUNCH, about 50 feet long, with Cabin, Compound Engines, &c., com-	FOR SALE, BEST GENUINE OSTRICH FEATHERS, of different sizes and co-	18th May, 1880. Goods undelivered after the 24th May, 1880, will be subject to Rent.	by Order or the Busic,
Tuch Keith Saigon April 1 Ben Rhydding Saigon April 1 Reina Mercedes (s.) Manila April 1	of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.	A. ROAD CENTRAL, opposite the City Hall, and known as the "Beadousfield Areade," suitable for shop and dwelling house. Water and Cas Pipes Iaid on.	The whole of the Property will be offered for Sale in One Lot as a going concern; if not so	lours, dressed and undressed at very Moderate Prices and suitable for Ladies' Hats. COWASJEE D. DADACHANJEE,	BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, 18th May, 1880. [819 SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.	YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASS
Eme Shanghai April 3 Agnes Sutherland Saigon April 3 Schiffswerft Saigon April 6	PAID-UP CAPITAL £465,250. RESERVE FUND £35,000.	Apply to HING KEE, Commissariat Buildings. Hongkong, 11th March, 1880. [438]	sold, it will be put up for Sale in Lots, on TUESDAY, the 25th day of May next, and following days.	Hongkong Oth January 1-80 [10]	FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.	NOTICE. In accordance with the Articles of Agr
	HEAD OFFICE .— 39a. Threadneedle Street, London, E.C.	TOSEPH GILLOTT'S	Catalogues will be issued; the whole will be on view for one week previous to the Sale. Fur- ther Particulars can be obtained from Messrs SHARP, TOLLER, and JOHNSON, Solicitors,	THE HOUSEHOLD COMPANION STUDENT'S FIRST ASSISTANCE.	"MERIONETHSHIRE," Rickard, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby	the Directors have declared a DIVIDI POLICYHOLDERS for the 12 Months endi December, 1879, of TWENTY-ONE PER ON THE NET PREMIA CONTRIBUTED,
1 12000	NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BARK OF ENGLAND. NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.	STEEL PENS. GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.	Supreme Court House, or from the Undersigned. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers.	By Dr. DEVAN, With many Additions, Corrections, and Dr. WILLIAMS Orthography.	informed that the Goods, excepting Machinery and heavy Cargo, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned at Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained.	at our Office, on and after the 17th proxi Policyholders are requested to send in culars of their Contributions.
Clara Antwerp Jan. 10 Niagara Humburg Jan. 10 Annie W. Weston New York Jan. 10	All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted. INTEREST allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at	Sold by all Stationers and Donlors. ANE, CRAWFORD & CO.	Hougkong, 21st April, 1880. [686] VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.	PRICE:— \$1.50 Neatly Bound. \$2.00	Consigness wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods	By Order of the Directors, RUSSELL & Avents.
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Hongkong, May 19th, 1880.

LIER the kindred institutions at Canton Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, the Chinese Hospital at Shangbai is fulfilling a useful Parade Ground, and it therefore took place in mission, mitigating the sum of native misery, the Murray Barracks under shelter. and unostentatiously spreading a knowledge of medical science among the Chinese. The work of the Hospital in the Model Settlement has steadily progressed under the superintendence of the present Medical Officer, Dr. Johnston, who is greatly esteemed among the natives, many of whom have excellent cause to be grateful to him. The report of the Hospital shows that 645 inpatients and 16,016 out-patients have been treated during the past year, while the total number of vaccinations during the same period was 5,129. The spread of vaccination has always been materially assisted nine days and that the verdict must be presise and definite, that it was say. by the branch hospital in the native city, would be 'not gallty' on both charges. This not competent for the learned Attorney. under the charge of Mr. Wong Chung-FOO. Dr. Johnston stuted, at the annual behaviour before the enemy in riding to head but that it was for him to set out according to the I don't say it is libel. meeting of trustees and subscribers to the quarters for assistance when Captain Moriarty's common rules of criminal procedure the precise Hospital on the 10th metant, that, in consequence of the Chinese employing vacci- Army Pay Department." nation to so large an extent, small-por is on the decline not only in and around Shanghai, but throughout the province of Kinngsu. This is a gratifying fact, and it is to be

hoped that as much may be said of Kwane tung. Unfortunately we have no figures at hand, but we may safely say that the ravages | who was accidentally hilled in the harbour on different counts, except where it was authorised deliberate reassertion of the libel. [We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of small-pox have been less extensive in the Saturday, under droumstances already reported. by statute, the rule which prevented all duplicity you know. Will you plead this pleas south during the past few years. The bulk of Chinese in the treaty ports are now we were going to the steamer White Cloud from defendant in pleading to and meeting those His Lordship—I shall know how it will be thoroughly convinced of the efficacy of vacci. Peddar's When about thirty or forty charges, and he submitted that in this particular when you have pleaded. thoroughly convinced of the efficacy of vacciorginal appear to entertain no absurd engines to be stopped. The order was complied entitled to use a special plea, he was entitled to prejudice against this valuable safeguard. with. The tide being very strong the launch have the information so framed that he might prejudice against this valuable safeguard. It is a must encouraging circumstance in

connection with the Medical Missions in China that so many of the Chinese officials word close up to the whart. I tried to push off with | that plea which the law gave him for his defence, his | for the trial. have of late years acknowledged their use- if he did not more his head he would be srushed quash the indictment or order it to be amended, mediately after arraignment with such a pleasast fulness and testified to the skill of foreign between the what and the house, I called out to so that the defendant might have the full benefit ! this.

practitioners. The Taotai of Shanghai is strong supporter of the hospital in the native city, and the Chinese Magistrate at. the Mixed Court has always been anxious rags were bound around his head and he was sent number of facts were in that letter which on the he could serve notice of his pleas. to recognise the services rendered by the institution to the Chinese population. At Canton several of the high officials have at different times sought the advice of Dr. KERR, and they contribute towards the support of the Hospital in that city. But trol the launch and prevent her colliding with direction has been the favourable impression to push the launch off, and in doing so the de. all, contained three distinct charges of libel. ceased got his head ornshed. made upon the Viceroy of Chihli by the cure a verdict of accidental death, and added that Tientsin. We have on previous occasions referred to the successful treatment of this

a personage as the Grand Secretary to a be-

have not refused to bear testimony to the

Honorous is an island of many and fragrant

streams; and no lack of water, that great

essential to health and comfort, should be

experienced by the inhabitants; Unfor-

tunately, however, in the midst of plenty,

there is drought. Paradoxical as this may

seem, it is only too true. Large numbers of

not a drop of that precious fluid except

complaint of our Chinese correspondents.

venience is felt from the insufficient supply.

Were the Chinese residents to use the water

on the same scale us the British and foreign

community do, the supply would be weefully

short. It is now, however, as we have fre-

quently pointed out, altogether inadequate

to the wants of a large Eastern city.

We are perfectly well aware that to

render the water supply sufficient for

all purposes would entail the outlay of a

that it would need to be spread over several

years-but this work is of infinitely greater,

importance than the erection of a new gool

on Stonceutter's Island, and should not

even be placed in the same category of

community-more especially the Chinese

who are the chief sufferers from the existing

scarcity-while the latter may be classed

as a costly experiment, to gratify a guber-

natorial or Colonial Office whim. The

deficiency in the water supply is a sub-

ject that should receive the prompt and

earnest consideration of the Head of the

Executive. He has shown so much deference

to the opinion, of the "leading Chinese

will consult them in this particular. They

welfare of the honest natives is of more im-

portunce than the comfort of criminals in the

guol, and that the latter can better afford to

wait for increased breathing space than the

The E. and A. Royal Mail steamer Memmuie.

The Supreme Court sitting in Criminal Sea-

The United States man-of-war Sugatary ar

We are informed by the agents (Messrs. But,

terfield and Swire, that the Ocean Steamship

Company's steamer Anchives, from Liverpool

left Singapore on the afternoon of the 15th inst.

Return of visitors to the City Hall Museum for

company was attacked on the Intombi River.

FATAL ACCIDENT IN THE HARBOUR.

EUROPEAN. CHINESE

ived at Singapore on the morning of the 10th

sions yesterday, the Summary Court was ad-

former for a proper supply of water.

vesterday morning.

journed until Thursday.

instant en route to China.

he week ending May 16th :-

for this port.

The first is necessary to the

they thought the accident was caused by an error of judgment on the part of the deceased. SUPREME COURT.

CEIMINAL SESSIONS. BEFORE THE HON. CHIEF JUSTICE, SIE

JOHN SMALE

18th May.

THE LIBEL CASE. On the opening of the Court the Judge spok to Mr. Francis in reference to a notice of motion he had given that the indistment in the case of Mr. John Pitman, charged with libel on Mr. H. H. Nelson, might be quashed or amended. The Attorney-General, in reply to his Lord ship, said the Crown Solicitor had received notice

His Lordship—Then do you appear on it? The Attorney-General-I do not.

His Lordship-Then it is ex-parts. Mr. Francis said the application was, first to ough the indictment on the ground LUNG, FOOCHOW, WENCHOW, NINGPO, SHANG- some day be constituted the arbiter of it was but in point of law. The learned Counsel then proceeded to read the information. which set out the occupation of Mr. Nelson, ICHANG, CHEFOO, TAKU, TIENTAIN, NEW- would be in a position to revolutionise that of Mr. Jackson, to whom the letter was CHWANG, PEKING, NAGASAKI, KOBE (HIOGO), the system of medical treatment throughout addressed, and then the whole of the letter, which was charged as the libel. Mr. Haylar now said he appeared for the

in any branch is painfully slow, but in this particular the natives have shown a genuine appreciation of the benefits which the Euroat any time. He has the power to enter a nolle commonest thing in the world. pean professors of the healing art have been prosequiat any moment. The Atterney-General-Yes, I have the power able to dispense, and even the mandarins

to enter a nelle prosecui. His Lordship It is your duty to see the prosecution is properly conducted, and, if it is not, for you to stop it. You are answerable for this other part. information much further than the Attorney-General in England. You are the Grand Jury. The Attorney-General—I cannot altogether subscribe to what your Lordship has said! His Lordship-I don't lisk you to. I only

tell you my opinion. The Attorney-General-Well, I only tell your Lordship what mine is. His Lordship-I never heard of subscription

o a judge's dictum vet. Mr. Francis asked to be informed whether this was a public or private prosecution, bewhich regularly pay the water rate, get cause the Act of 6 and 7 Victoria, under which this prosecution took place, gave the defendant in a private prosecution the right to his what they send for from the nearest costs in case the judgment was in his favour." tank. This supply is not always a very He took it the counsel for the prosecution was liberal one, even in wet weather, as the instructed by private solicitors, and he submitted that before they went any further be was entitled to know in what position they stood—whether published in another column, will prove; and the Crown was proceeding against them or it was in the dry season, much and serious incona private presecution.

> Crown Solicitor prosecutes. I know nothing Mr. Francis-May I suggest to your Lord ship to ask the question?

His Lordship-I certainly shall not. I ask no questions. I find the Crown Solicitor acting in this prosecution according to his usual duty. Mr. Francis-Than I submit the defendant ought not to be left in that position. He ought! to know who prosecutes.

His Lordship—I cannot help that. Mr. Prancis-Your Lordship has the power n your bands to say you will not allow these proceedings to go on until that information is

His Lordship-Well, I don't choose to say Mr. Francis-If your Lordship puts it in that way there is an end of it. I thought you were

His Lordship-What were you reading ! Mr. Francis-I was reading Lord Campbell's Act, and calling your Lordship's attention to that

section which gives the defendant costs if it is a private prosecution.

anyaction at civil law. Mr. Francis-I am afraid no one else can. His Lordship-I have nothing to do with that. Mr. Francis then resumed his argument on the indictment, and submitted that three-fourths of the letter set out were not, on the face of it. defamatory, and it was set out without a single averment or inuendo to show in what sense the prosecutor wished it to be taken, to show in gentlemen" of the Colony, that perhaps he what sense he charged them with having defamed Mr. Nelson, without giving the expressions in the letter said to affect Mr. Nelson in would, doubtless, represent to him that the bis capacity as manager of a bank, or showing

how the tendency was to injure him in that capacity. The only intent charged was to inare Mr.: Nelson in his capacity as manager of a bank, and throughout the information from beginning to end there were ne innendoes and no averments to point out or show what statements in the latter, whether true or false, were connected with Mr. Nelson in his capacity as manager of a bank, or to show how they were likely to to others I justify them. It is common sense, Captain Ellis, went round to Aberdeen Dock produce any ill effect on him in his position. action for libel or defamatory words in connection with a man's business it must be set out and shown or alleged how those words were con-

> nected with him in his business. I may be wrong, that if the common-sense of mankind considers it is a libel it is unnecessary What was written in heat is one thing, not to allege the mode or form in which it is so.

the face of them defematory His Lordship-Well, that is not to quash lintent of the writer, and, as the act puts it, It may be very proper and apposite for you to show that as a matter of fact the words don't sideration afterwards. The words of the Act The General's inspection of the 27th (Innis- | widence, do they or do they not apply in an killing) Regiment took place vesterday morning repprobrious sense, in a sense damaging him not at six o'clock. Owing to the inclemency of the only as a man, but as a trusted officer of an in. pronouncing sentence, to consider whether the weather the inspection could not be held on the

of the Queen against Yates, reported in Cox's Criminal Cases, vol. 12, in which he said the

form as here. His Lordship said that where a passage might | without such plea or justification." be read in two ways it was clear there must be an invende if you wanted to convert it into a libel | tion. -to show that it was the libellous sense in which it was written. In that case it was stated a man was a seller and killer of game, and it might account well be that he was a licensed seller and killer, and an advertiser of his occupation.

Mr. Francis enbuitted that where the alleged | tion. The following paragraph from the United Ser- defamation was of a man in connection with his His Lordship-I am not, and that is improper vice Gazette will be found of interest to the friends trade the indictment must show not morely how language. of the gallant 80th Regiment here :- "Soth Re- the words; if they were themselves ambiguous, . giment. From a letter dated Pietermaritzburg, had a defematory meaning, but must also February 22nd, welearn that the court-martial on show how they were connected with his officer, who was invalided home, was ordered Govern! to charge as the libel a long letter under any orcumstances be dealt with as libel. back to the Cape to be tried for his alleged mis- part only of which was or might be defamatory. words he said were defamatory and to out off the are protected in everything they say that is Captain Howard has been nominated for the rest, which was only evidence in support, only the framework in which the libel was set and not part of the charge itself. By his not so doing the prisoner, but it must be taken, as the book

S. Northcote, and a jury compessed of Messra. A. ground of the rules with reference to pleading - follow it must be in aggravation. Toung Tai Yau firemen on the steam launch of pleading, that was, charging two offences in . Mr. Frencis-With your Lordship's permis-Stag, said—On the 15th instant, about midday, one count—was the embarrassment it caused to the month will abandon the motion. still continued, to go towards the wharf, and, use that plea to the best advantage. If the inwhen close to it, the deceased ordered the engines formation had been purposely so framed as to asked to put in his plea."

him to stoop down as I did. The deceased's of his right to plead justification. Here, he Mr. Francis said the Ordinance required that head was then crushed, as I thought it would be submitted, he could not plend justification, be- the plea should be instanter on arreignment and I pushed off the launch as fastas I could and the cause a number of other matters were set out as suggested that the more convenient course would deceased than dropped down on the deck. Some being part of the libel which were not libellous; a be to fix a day for the trial, and in the meantime to Hospital. He was alive when taken from the face of it were not libellous and to be made libel. It was then arranged that the defence should lous would need, distinct averment on the part of give notice of their pleas, but no day was fixed Inspector Bremner said there was no further the prosecutor. If oneht to be specially stated in for the trial. the information what parts of the letter were said . His Lordship-I must say I wish this had

cipal facts were that the tide was very strong plead to those particular parts and deny them or seese thing. and the men on board were unable to con justify them in that sense in which the pro- The argument having been concluded by cleven secutor alleged they were to be understood, o'clook, his bordship lamented that he had sen the most important success achieved in this the wharf. The decensed and the fireman tried The letter, if it contained libellous matter at away the jury as a day had been lost thereby. There were three distinct subjects dealt with POLICE COURT. The jury, after a short deliberation, returned in it, and these, if the defendant was to have a fair opportunity of pleading to them 18th May. ought to be divided into three different counts.

> to Mr. Nelson's conduct in the Chamber of Commerce as a speaker at a public meeting. There was a second portion of it which referred to some particular transactions with which the late Mr Heaton was connected here was a third portion of it which simply referred to Mr. Nelson as a trafficker in shares generally His Lordship-That is, he deals in theres

There was one portion of it which had reference

being a person who ought not so to deal. Mr. Francis-I should be content with the words as stated, but I submit that may be read as containing three distinct assertions. His Lordship-Libellous assortions Mr. Francis - I won't admit that.

His Lordship But will every man of common

sense take it so? Mr. Francis-Very well. His Lordship-It is not that you admit it so, but is it capable of being so rendered without an

inuendo P mit that, but he submitted he was entitled April until the 5th April in the Suez Canal, and Major-General Anson was a passenger by the used on all those islands." in respect of each of the three allegations on searching the ship three cases of gin was P and O steamer Kachgar on the 8th instant he did not say whether he was going to do so or not—to plead to each separately that they 18th of the same mouth, off Scootra he was Colony will again be assumed by him.—Straits were true in substance and fact and that it was for the public benefit they should be published but the whole latter being out in he must justify

His Lordship-You may say that so much you don't justify, and so much you do justify His Lordship-Under the direction of the and so forth-plead guilty as to portions and Attorney-General, who has power to stop you not guilty as to other portions. That is the Mr. Francis-But there comes the question can I? It seems to me, under the words of the statute. I am not at liberty to choose any part. His Lordship-Then you say you cannot plead

guilty to part of the letter and not guilty to the Mr. Francis-In a civil action I could, His Lordship-Then why not in a crimina action? Where is the difference of pleading? Mr. Francis - Well, it seems to be so laid down His Lordship asked Mr. Francis if he had

Mr. Francis said he had a good deal more to sny it depended partly on what Mr. Hayllar His Lordinip said in that case he thought he ought not to keep the jury waiting during this very instructive argument, but which might not be very instructive to the jury.

Mr. Francis said he was quite in his Lord.

His Lordship - What do you say Mr. Hayllar? Mr. Hayllar-I leave it entirely in your Lord-His Lordship said he thought that as they.

and got into the argument they had better finish t, and the invors might therefore go now and strend to-morrow instead. Mr. Francis, resuming his argument, said his contention was that putting three charges

His Lords ip-As it stands at present the regether and alleging them as being one libel was extremely embarrassing to the defend ant and deprived him of the full benefit of the ples of justification given him by the statute but if his Lordship considered he could please justification to a part without pleading it to the whole, that would meet the difficulty. His Lordship asked Mr. Havllar if he denied

> the power of the defendant, a long lotter being put in, to allege as to part. I am guilty as to part. I justify the statement. Mr. Hayllar said he did not. He thought the matter was decided by authority, and cited passage in Starkey on replication of plea, in which it was hold the defendant was at libert to deny the whole or any part.

Mr. Francis submitted the plaintiff's replicasuggesting a doubt whether you had power to do aut's plea. He could find no case in which partial justification had been pleaded: His Lordship said it was the same as in civi cases. The plea would be this, first, not guilty

as to the whole; second, as to so much justi fication; and so on. They had therefore in that way a plea of not guilty as to the whole. His Lordsbip-I cannot see why this was not and then they selected such portions as they anid they could justify. That seemed to be the meaning of the words that there should be the same power of pleading as in civil cases. Mr. Francis-Your Lordship having taken that

view we are relieved of the embarrassment under which we laboured and I will withdraw the motion. His Lordship, addressing Mr. Hayllar, said he did not wish by a hasty decision to deprive the defence of any real benefit they might have, and suggested they should see what their plea was. Mr. Hayllar-It is the common sense of the thing. It lies in this way. They write one letter. The letter, as my learned friend says.

Lordship's view is the right one. His Lordship-I would rather let them their pleas and let this matter stand over, their plea His Lordship-I have always understood, but to be no prejudice to the motion, until we see how the thing stands. But I would say one thing bere. ustifiable but excusable; what is said months. Mr. Francis-That is so, if the words are on afterwards is another, and by affirming what was said he makes unother libel of it in the mind and makes it a subject matter for very serious conare these:- "If after such plea the defendant shall be convicted on suph indictment or information it shall be competent to the court, in

guilt of the defendant is aggravated or mitigated Mr. Francis referred his Lordship to the case by the said plea, and by the evidence given to prove or disprove the same provided always that the truth of the matters charged in the indictment charged protty much in the same alleged libel complained of by such indictment or information shall in no case be inquired into Mr. Francis-Either aggravation or mitiga-

Mr. Francis-It sounds very like it. Lient. H. H. Harward had then been sitting for business. He also submitted the libel charged it a cool statement by the defendant. That I

home the complainant told the second prisoner Mr. Francis-A statement in court cauno His Lordship-Very well, we shall see that. Mr. Francis-The defendant and his witnesses His Lordship-No doubt they are, and so is

in this case the defendant was seriously embar says here, in mitigation or aggravation aftertracy yesterday, by the Acting Geroner, Mr. G. history of criminal procedure in England, the is taken in mitigation; it does not necessarily somers being allowed bail in \$250 each. J. Lewis, C. F. Czorio, and A. F. de J. Soares, the refusal to allow two different charges to be ... His Lordship-I have not said so. I have on the body of a Chinese male named he Alcok, joined in the same information, even in two said aggravation or mitigation. But it is a

feet from the wharf the decessed ordered the class of cases, where by statute the defendant was Mr. Franck-It will be open to my friend if space in your journal, as our last letter has not specified quantity of he does not like the plan to object to it. His Lordship asked if it would not be a convenience if Mr. Pitman were now arraigned and

The Coroner said there was not much light to be defamatory, in what sense the presecutor been an action, then the jury would have been thrown upon the circumstances. The prin understood them, so that the defendant might | the judges instead of myself. It is the common

BEFORE O. V. CREACH, Enq.

Poter Hales, a seamon on H.M.S. Comus, was had half-a-dollar for being drunk and incanable DRUNKENNESS ON A STRAMER Elward Burton, cook on board the British steamer Celtie Mon woh, was charged by Captain A. Roper with being drunk and using insuberlingte language on board the steamer. Captain Roper said-The prisoner is the cook

DRUNKENNESS.

and baker on board my vossel, the Celtic Monarch. He shipped in London on the 16th March as such to serve for two years or for the voyage out and back. My charge against him is being habitually drunk. We left London on the 16th March, and slace that time I have five antries in the official log-book against him for drunkenness. When in that state he is very insubordinate to the officers and myself, and of course neglects his duties. Witness Mr. Francis said that for the purposes of the read the extracts from the log, showing that the on the 7th inst, was knocked down at the sum below it on the other islands, decidedly proves argument as to innerposs he was willing to ad. prisoner was drunk on and off from the 3rd of \$3,000. found to have seven bottles missing. On the for Penang, the Lieut. Governorship of which logged for insubordination, and he then draw a Times. large knife at the master. On the 26th, in the Bay of Bengal. he said he complained of being ill and he was allowed to go on the sick list for three days and had every medical comfort. On the 15th instant he was drunk and insolent to the chief officer, and on the following day be was again drank and incapable and insolent On the 5th April when he was drank in the Canal he had to be put in irons.

By the prisoner.—The entries read over were made on the dates they purport to be made. did not threaten to kill you, neither did I tell you I had been charged four times for manslaughter. I did tell you I would go for your wages like thunder. Richard Frauland, chief officer, said-I have been to see for about thirty years. I have had command of a vessel myself, and have been

chief officer on a steamer for the last three years. have often seen the prisoner drunk; three or four times in the Suez Capal and twice in Hongkong. His drunkenness has caused much inconvenience to the crew. I have also heard him on several occasions use insubordinate language to the captain. On Sunday night he was very By the prisoner-When you were drunk yo

always neglected your duties and spoilt the food At Port Said you were drunk in the evening and morning. We had three ladies and one gentleman passenger. We do have hot meat and different things for our tea. There was a boy in the galley with you and he was taken away and put into the cabin as steward. Captain Roper said that the boy came on

board the vessel on a shilling a month. He was poor lad and witness took compassion on him. Now he is steward on £5 a month, and is a very Howard Dollman, second officer, gave coro-

Captain Roper said he could not press the charge about the knife as he had no witnesses to. substantiate it, though if pressed it would be discretion by immediate death. One night three rather a serious charge. The prisoner said he was only drunk twice.

He was ill on account of the very hot galley, and when the boy was taken away he was annoyed. His Worship-Why did you not complain about the galley before you signed articles? Prisoner-I did not know we were to have any

His Worship-You know it is a passenger ship Prisoner-I was not drunk as often as I have corr soused. The captain is a very nice gentleman, but is rather hasty. On Sunday morning I drank some samshu and that made me drank All these complaints have been largely magnified. dence before me that you were drunk on several dispelled in the new-year's festival. consions. Your drunkenness not only unuses. inconvenience to all on board but a less to the owners. I convict you of neglect of duty and order you to forfeit six days' pay, and you will to gaol for fourteen days, with hard labour. ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT.

Kom Yik Wan, a broker, and Wong Man Fai, a ship broker, were charged by one Tong Kan Hing, a salesman, with obtaining \$75 from him by means of false pretences on or about the

15th March last. Sergeant Toomey proved agresting the first prisoner in a house in Queen's-road. The second prisoner went to the charge-room to bail the first prisoner out at five o'clock p.m., and the sergeant recognised and arrested him. From the evidence of Tong Kan Hing, a sales-

does practically contain three charges, but all man in the Shenng On hong. Wo Hing-street, it going to the same end. Well, it would not be appeared he had known the first prisoner for fair for me to divide up a thing into three dis. several years, and the second prisoner since the tinct charges. Then I think the indictment first month of this year, The complainant was would be wrong. It is only one charge, but it agent for the Wo Tai foreign goods bong which is natural the defendant might say as to some of owed the Tai Cheong mat shop about \$2,000, and the charges they are not libellous, as to others I was afraid of being held bail for this amount as he maintain privilege or plead not guilty, and as had ordered the goods. The first prisoner told witness he could introduce him to a friend who and I should be the last person to take understood such cases and would assist him. itis Lordship would remember that in every exception to it. I think it is concluded by and a few days after this the second prisoner anthority and therefore I have no doubt your was brought forward, and was told the circumstances of the case. He then told complainant that he had would have to consult Mr. Johnson. and that the fee for that would be \$50. The complainant not having that amount was told by the second prisoner he might pay by instalments, as he knew Mr. Johnson. An agreement was thereupon made. On the 15th March the first prisoner went to complainant and asked him for some money to angage a lawyer, and \$12 was paid. On the 20th March the second prisoner said he had engaged Mr. John which has become a little Paris in the desert for nature, he might count on 50,000 Spanish troops son, and S3 was given as an instalment, the com. elegance, luxury, and comfort, and which it is at once crossing the Pyrenees. To most people plainant at the same time informing him that boned will before long be connected with Euro- this would have appeared at once, in mercantile first prisoner had received \$12. The second prisoner said he knew that and he had paid the money in those parts, too, are not so uninhabitable as is | Gambetta was a man of infinite resource of conto the lawyer. On the next day the first prisoner commonly supposed. It is true that the deserts trivence. The French fleet had proved its usereceived another \$10, from the complainant and of Khala-Ata between Khiva and Bokhara, on the lessness, it was a more incumbrance. The Sust on the 23rd March the second prisoner received right bank of the Amou, that of Kizil-Kum, where Canal was an eligible marketable commodity, for 825 more, similar statements being made on each | the Russians had to nadergo such hardships at the | which England was presumably an eager ous. cocasion to those previously made. The com- time of the Khivan campaign, and that on the tomer. He devised this offer to England to plainant heard on the 26th April that the Tai | post-road from Orsk to Tashkend, on the shores | tempt her into the cession of Gibraltar to Spain. Cheong hong was going to proceed against him of the Sea of Aral, are terribly desolate; but England was to have half the French fleet. To her for \$2.000, and the second prisoner told him that | travellers who have penetrated into the interior | was to be given up all the French interest in the he had better get another lawyer to defend him stage that vegetation is to be found on the sand. Suce Canal, the French Government undertaking if it went into court. Both the prisoners had hims, or barchans, and that there is abundance the indemnification of the French shareholders. His Lordship-Certainly, but the spirit in previous to this given the complainant to under of drinkable water. In the Kara-Kum desert Toulon was to be created a neutral port in effect, which the thing is done must be taken into stand that they were employing a lawyer. The drinkable water is to be found at a depth of a thus giving England coaling right at that hitsecond prisoner, when he heard the case was com- few feet, while in the Kisil-Kum the wells are berto closed station. And these temptations Mr. Francis I submit your Lordship is ing on, advised the complainant to engage a bar from twenty-four to forty metres deep. The were to be offered to England to reconcile ber to threatening the defendant if he pleads justifica- rister and a solicitor, said be would engage temperature in the Kara-Kum, too, is mild, and the cossion of Gibraltar. A dinner was arranged Mr. Donnya, whose fee would be 325, and 350 | the sand-hills are covered in the summer with to be given by certain persons in a Tours hotel, for the barriater, and asked the complainant to immerous flowers. The vegetation in these de- at which Gambetta was to meet Lord Lyons, pay \$50 down and the rest in about ten days. \$30 was paid down, and on the 29th ultimo the His Lordship-I do my the repeating of a second prisoner asked for \$20, which was paid. libel here and alleging it to be true is then making | On the 3rd or 4th instant the complainant sent for the second prisoner to go to Mr. Dennys and they went, but Mr. Dennys was ont. On the way

> that he had Beard he was going to Canton and lawyer and ascertain what money he had received. The second prisoner replied it was too late then and that he had no receipt for what had been given. The next day the second prisoner went Mr. Dannya learned from him that he had

CORRESPONDENCE.

expressed by our Correspondents.]

WANTED! WATER TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." had any effect whatsoever.

draw attention to the small supply of water ob- cords his cismissal contains a long list of de- the Republic on the other side of the Atlantic." to be turned astern. Very shortly after this we throw obstactes in the way of the defendant using Mr. Francis saked his Lordship to fix a day taken the conviction of the is taken of our complaint. my hands, as did also the deceased. Seeing that Lordship, following the precedents, would either His Lordship Tou for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the English Cabinot the characteristic for the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the english cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the english cabinot the characteristic for the harsh- official superior in the english cabinot the characteristic for the cha -We are, Sir, yours, &c. CHINESE Hongkong, 18th May, 1880.

CARTON.

FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT. The new Loung Tac, or Commissariat Commissioner, for this city, recently appointed at rions and useful. But the few months of Peking, has started from the capital to take up | English ill-luck at the Cape bear no comparison A large pawnbroking establishment in the and disgrace which have marked Lomakin's

city suddenly ceased business on the 11th inst., carear beyond the Caspian. His last three without notice. It is said that the proprietors compaigns of 1877, 1878 and 1879 were so partihad some dispute with the mandarine, but I cularly ignominious—the Tekkes chasing his have no particulars. The capital invested in army each time back to its base of operationsthese businesses is usually very large. I have that the wonder is, not that Lomekin should not heard the capital of the firm alluded to estimated | have retrieved his reputation, but that such a at 80,000 taels. On account of the long delay in the arrival of kept so incapable a man at the head of its troops

the newly appointed Provincial Treasurer, the so long .- Globe. Acting Vicercy of the Two Kwang has memorialised the Throne to allow the official in question to take up his post immediately. In response, the Emperor has ordered the Transurer-elect to proceed at once to Canton without baving the usual audience. The Chinese in this city are considerably in-

terested in the political situation. A report is current among them that actual hostilities have commenced with Russia in Central Asia, and that the Russian troops have been defeated by Tso Tsung-tang's brayes. This must be premature, or the news would have spread elsewhere. The natives of the City of Rams are not plarmed at the prospect of the war, as they do not believe the Russians would visit the Canton River. It is generally thought here that hostiities will be confined to the north.

SINGAPORE.

was offered for sale by Mesers. McAlister & Co.

THE TERROR AT MANDALAY

A person just down from Mandalay has given Golden City, which savours more of the kingdom of Dahomey than of aught else. We stated a day or two ago that the king was seriously ill with small pox. For the last 24 hours an improssion has been gaining ground that the patient ons specumbed to the fell disease. The reported and Mandalay would seem to confirm the rumour. for it is a well-known fact that whenever there is any bad news, the lime invariably breaks down. Be that as it may, no one, we feel confident, can read the following news from Upper Burmah without hoping that the rumour in question is

Great consternation prevailed when it leaked out that the king was ill. It appeared as if the Shipry phoung day (the royal golden might) had deserted him, and the worst fears were at once entertained. Gradually as his condition became more serious, the royal astrologers declared that the nata or evil spirits were infuriated, and that nothing, short of human sacrifices could appease them. The first was forth with issued, and nightly sacrifices were offered. By degrees as the people began to recever from the first shock caused by these bloody hecatombs, the executioners became more daring. Seisures were actually made in the streets after dusk, the unfortunate victims being generally helplose young girls. Poonabs, however and even obnoxions phoongees were carried off. It will easily be undertood that these barbarities cast a gloom over the whole town; everyone was in the deepest consternation, nobody felt safe, and after sugget the streets were perfectly silent and deserted. At the same time it was proclaimed that anyone convicted of alluding to these sacrifices was to expirte his inor four ruffians were discovered lurking about the convent, and attempting to decoy two of the girls, threatening to murder them should they raise an alarm. The terrified girls fied screaming frantically, and the whole Christian Burmese comunity roused by their ories for help rushed en masse to the respue armed with dahs and clubs. Two of the secondrols were arrested, and it was with the utmost difficulty that the captors were prevailed upon not to lynch their viotims there and then.

Since then every night more victims are sustoned away and secretly executed. These secrifices are to last till the water feast, by which time the nats will be pacified, as all ill-feeling must be It is positively a Reign of Terror, and it wil oe a lasting reproach to the British nation that it has tolerated such revolting atrocities as have

taken place within the past twelve months.

Where is the boasted mission of civilisation with

thich England is supposed to be entrusted in savago lands P Howeverineredible this idea of human escrifices: may be, it is well-known that the same thing was attempted to be carried out in the old King's time; when he lay at the door of death; several people were actually seized and would assuredly have been sacrificed had not the old monarch ust then rallied. Heaving of the intentions of his ministers, he gave positive orders that no

such bloody oblation should be offered up on his If Theebay be really dead, the difficulty is clved, and by next mail steamer we may expect to hail the advent of the Prince of Ngyoung-yan en route to Mandalay: if still alive, let us hope that the measure is full, and that the British Lion will at last think it time to interfere. It is absolutely necessary to do so if we wish to save the little that remains of our prestige. What is the slavery we are so anxious to suppress all over the world compared to this horrible addriffice of human beings to the Moloch of Burman superstition.—Rangoon Gazette.

COMMUNICATION WITH CENTRAL

LOMAKIN SUPERSEDED.

has signed the warrant removing him from the sented himself at the front door. Thiers was Army of the Caucaus. By the terms of this thus repalsed, who, having heard of Gamto Canton, and the complainant on calling upon | dogument Major-General Lomakin is to relinquish | betta's design, was anxious to frustrate it by the governorship of the Trans-Caspian region and constituting himself a third party at the interreceived 325 only. The completeast then laid to proceed abread on sick leave for five months. view, when he was certain that the subject would An adjourned inquest was held at the Magin- in his defence. As was shown by the whole of mot be entered upon. Repulsed at the front, an information at the Police Court.

The case was remanded for one week, the prisoftening the Emperor's displeasure was adopted. Thiere' resources were not exhausted. Intinot long ago in connection with Governor Fran- mately acquainted with the geography of the kini, of Kars, who, for shutting up some Arme. Prefecture corridors, he circumvented the doornian achools and imprisoning the teachers, was keepers, found his way into Cambetta's cabinet ordered to betake himself for three or four and resolutely sat out the British Ambassador, months to the baths of Germany. In this case, Changy's defeat drove Gambetta into a corner however, Frankini, after being panished, was from from which he never extricated himself; allowed to go back to his duties, a poorer, if and the negotiations never took formal shape, healthier man; whereas Lomakin on his return | but Lord Lyons was at least made aware of the to Bussia will find himself without a career, and | dictator's propositions. Another project of Gam-Six .- We must again apply to you for a little relegated to the companionship of Marko betta's was, that in return for the United States rades in disgrace and misfortune. His punish army provisions and munitions of war at certain-We are still without water, although it rains ment will be all the more embittered by French ports during a paried of five months, from morning to night. We therefore once more the circumstance that the same garatte that rev Guadaloupe and Martinique should be ceded to under him during the compaign last year. At writer that Lord Lyons communicated to his ness of the Emperor, since no unlucky general ractor of the avenuement which had thus been has had greater chances of retrieving misfortune suggested to him by M. Gambetta.—World.

than he himself has had. When the bettle of Isandula took place last year densure was freely cast upon our administration for retaining Lord Chelmsford in command although his previous career had confessedly been merito. with the seven successive years of misfortune professedly military power as Russia should have

THE NEW HEBRIDES

The Rev. J. G. Patron, of the New Hebrides fission, has lately contributed to the Southern Cross some interesting information about the manners and oustoms of the islanders. In his remarks about the island of Santo he says :-"On this side of San'o they make carthenware and cook their food in earthen puts, some of them a large size For prints and knives we purchased a few good specimens of their orockery. It is strange that the art of making it should be retained here, when it is lost on Efate, Numua and all the other northern islands of our group. though it is so valuable to all in every day use and it is yet more astonishing that the art of making an article of ench universal use and value should have been lost even on Santo except at that place, from which the natives make it an article of trade around their own island; and to The wreck of the Dutch barque Lize which | the adjoining islands. The remains of broken pottery on the surface, and often at a great depth

OBJECT OF THE NIHILISTS.

that at one time it had been manufactured and

The following ancount of the aims of Nihiliam is taken by the St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cologne Gazette from a " Nibilist Counchism." which was produced at the trial of the wellknown Socialist leader Netchayeff in 1871: -We must enter into close contact with the people, and especially with those, who from the time of the foundation of the Russiau Power have never seased to protest by their sats (not by their words) against everything which has lirectly or indirectly been connected with that Power-against the publity, the officials, the interruption of the telegraph wire between this olergy, and the traders. Our organisation and our whole object consists in making of the elements opposed to the State an instrument for its destruction. Rassian history has only had two specks in which the Russian people have really lived—those of the revolutionists Steuko Rasin and Pagatohaff. Our task is the universal and pitiless destruction of what exists; it is for future generations to deal with what may ariae afterwards. Our revolution must not be ike those of Western Europe, which have been satisfied with political charges without touching upon the institutions of property and so-called rivilisation. The people can only be tenedited by a revolution which shall teer out by the roots very power of State and destroy all State traditions and classes in Russia. revolutionists is a man who has taken a yow ble has no personal interests or feelings, not even a name. Bearing in mind his sole object-destruction—he can and must live in society; he must force his way into all branches of it-into the bureaucratic and military worlds, into the world of literature, into the secret police, and even into the Winter Palace. The revolutionist knows not relationship, friendship, love, magnanimity, or even honour; all his feelings are suppressed by the passion for revolution.

THE CESSION OF GIBRALTAR.

It may be taken for granted that there was no real foundation for Sir Hardinge Giffard's accusation that Mr. Gladstone was willing in principle to alienate from England the possession of Gibraltar. But the proverb is true that there never is smoke without fire; and that nine years ago a scheme involving this step was being excepitated in a certain quarter seems corroborated by the following extract from some notes written almost immediately after the conclusion of the Franco-German War by an observer of events, not less soute than well informed, who had accompanied the Provisional Government from Paris to Tours. It was well known that between certain members of the Provisional Goernment and certain members of the then exist ing British Cabinot, very intimate relations of friendship existed. The quotation is taken verbatim from the contemporary notes referred to

"What a colossal and reckless intriguer was

Gambatta! His schemes reminded one of a

frantic "heads or tails" financier of the period

before Black Friday, whose only thought was of

money to carry him round the present corner, and who cared not what he paid for accommodation in the crisis; or of a "plunger." who mortgages an estate for the 5,000L he needs to make up his Derby deficits, and enable him to show his face at Tattersall's to plunge again on the St. Leger. Gambetta's only care was to keep up coute que coute, opposition to the Prussians. He would have alienated a province of France for a division of armed men. Here are the details of one of his schemes. He had a keep a certain number of French troops in the towns in the south of France to dominate their turbulence and discontent, and these he regarded as so much capital keep in a stocking instead of seing out at interest, the nature of the interest which he desiderated being a constant front of opposition to the Prussians. Now Spain, Gambetta saw, had an available force of some 50.000 broops; and it occurred to him that if he could make these available for doing the police work of the south of France, this device would release, to fight the Prassians, the French troops engaged in that kind of work. He made application to Spain to discover how the land lay. The politicians ruling Spain, not unwise in their The Moscow correspondent of the Cologne generation, and recognising the spendthrift Gazette says that notwithstanding the great dis- fortility of resource with which Gambetta aptances which separate the Amon and Syr Darya poared imbued, replied that the price for the districts from civilization, the number of visitors | service he asked was the cossion on the part of to those districts is yearly increasing. Among Britain of Gibraltar. If he could scheme out the chief attractions of this region is Tashkend, with the insular Power an arrangement of this pean Russia by a railway. The sandy deserts phraseology, to "close the transaction;" but sorts would be far more abundant if the plants and when the matter was to be discussed. Lord were not habitually destroyed by the nomad Lord Lyons accepted the invitation, but excused himself afterwards, on the ground that he had declined to be present at a similar entertainment at which Jules Favre was to be present. However, his lordship afterwards called on Gambetta More than six months have now elapsed since in the Prefecture at Tours. Orders were issued Colonel Vasiltobikoff arrived at St. Petersburg | than on ne account was any one to be allowed to said he (the complainant) would like to see the from the Caspian, conveying the despatch in intrude on the interview. The doorkeepers which General Lomakin described his disastrous thought they were fulfilling their duties when defeat; but it is only this week that the Emperor | they denied Gambetta to everybody who pre-

THE SORROWS OF MECCA.

It would appear that the recently appointed Shereef of Mecos will find the government of the "mother of towns," as Mussulmans somewhat pomponely style the Holy City, anything but a sinecure. He is being escorted by a little army to his diminutive populous in order to pro-tect him from the expected divisions of the Faithful, and, on his arrival, he will be confronted with a difficulty that has puzzled more practical heads than his. Mesca, which is situated in a long sandy valley, and has always been badly enough supplied with water, is in some danger now of being deprived of it altogether. It is true that Zem-Zem one of the sights and shows of Mecca, the alleged fountain that hubbled forth to slake the thirst of Hagar and Ishmael when they were driven into the wilder-ness, flows as it ever flowed, and is by all accounts, inexhaustible; but its water, although as efficacious as the springe of La Salette and Lourdes in ouring any diseases and disorders with which the pilgrim who drinks in faith may be troubled, is hardly suitable for every day consumption. Containing, as it does, according to Burckhardt, considerable medicinal power, its taste is naturally very decided and peculiar; and it has been described by those who have tried it as closely resembling a compound of Epsom salts and Harrogate water. Nor. were it unaccompanied by a distinct drawback of this nature, would it supply all the wants of the in-habitants, for the faithful are strictly probibited from having recourse to the sanred wells for other purposes than drinking or ablation. They may not use it for culinary purposes; and the wants of ordinary life in Mecca have hitherto been supplied by the famous canal called Ain-Al. Zobeida, which carries water all the way from Arafat. This canal was one of the beneficent works of that most beneficent of all sultanas.
Zobeids, the wife of Haroun-Al-Raschid, whose acquaintance we have all made in the "Arabian nights." It has frequently fallen into decay, baving taxed the care of various Khalifs to restore it; and has now, from want of funds to keep it in order, become so exceedingly dilapidated that the supply of water has all but censed

SUGGESTION OF A SHIP BAILWAY.

Captain Eads, the projector and executor of the work of the Mississippi jetties, read a paper before the Congressional Committee at Washington a short time since in advocacy of his plan of a ship railway. He claimed that a substantial and durable ship railway can be built for half the cost of a canal with looks, and for one-fourth that of a canal at tide-level; that such a ship wailway can be built in one third or one fourth of the time needed for the construction of a canal; that, when built, ships of the maximum tonnage can be moved with safety at four or five times greater speed than in a canal; that a preater number of vessels per day can be transported by the railway than can possibly be transported by the canal; that the capacity of a ship railway can be easily increased to most the demands of commerce; that the cast of maintenauce of the roadway and rolling stock would be much less than that of the canal, and that railway can be constructed and operated in localities where it is not practicable to construct a canal. He explained his plan by means of drawings, which showed a pit 3,000ft long, it which the railway should be made into the CCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE harbour to a depth of 36ft, ascending to der land at a grade of one foot in 100; then showing the cradle into which the ship is to be lifted, and explaining how the ship is to be kept in place in the gradle by means of blocks oft. or 10ft. apart. then showing the railway, consisting of 12 rails of the ordinary width; the wheels under the cradle to be at Sft. distance from each other, and to bear a pressure of five tout (the average pressure on the driving wheels of freight locomotives being 64 tons while at rest). This five tons of pressure on the driving wheels is to be the maximum pressure. Ordinarily it would extent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on not be more than three or four tons, but the Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, wheels could be made to stand a pressure of 30 tons. The possibility of derailment, he said, was reduced by the number of rails and by the great weight of the ship itself, so that would be impossible to get a ship off the rails. He went on to say that an increase of traffic could be easily provided for by the laying of additional tracks, and that the great number of wheels and rails would so equalise escillation that at a speed of 12 miles an hour there would be scarcely a sign of motion on a glars of water on a upon Insurances effected with this Company. table in the ship's cabin. He was asked by Mr. Conger as to the safety on such a railway of a large vessel of middle age and whether the ship would not be liable to a strain. The reply was that any vessel that was built and was fit to be passed by underwriters, and was thought capable of withstanding the gales and hurricanos of the Atlantic or Pacific Oceans, was capable of being carried on this railway with absolute safety with as much safety as a child in its mother's arms. He said that his plan had been received with favour. by Mr. E. J. Reed, the chief constructor of the British navy, and a great number of the most eminent ongineers of America. M. de Lesseps said he had listened to Mr. Eads with prepared to GRANT P()LICIES against FIRE respect because he know him to be an engineer who had done the most remarkable work of the day, and because the most remarkable engineers generally studied the most difficult things; still the plans of a railway and of a canal were totally different things, and her (M. de Lesseps) did not want to discuss the plan of a railway because it was not his own plan at all. It had never been tried, though it has been proposed. It had even

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

TUESDAY, 18th May.

The market for Bengal has kept extremely quiet for the past few days, though the drug obtainable at lower rates than these last quot ed. Of Malwa sales at 3720, free of allowance.

EXCHANGE.

ON LONDON .-Bank Bills, on demand ... Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight. 3/101 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/104 Credits, at 4 months sight 3/10 Documentary Bills, at 4 months ON BOMBAY.-Bank, on demand ... 2281

On CALGUTTA .- Bank, on demand 228 ON SHANGHAL .-

BHARES. Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-57 per Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$1,400 per chare, or dividend.

North China Insurance—Tls. 1.075 per share. Yangtere Insurance Association—Tls. 720 per

Chinese Insurance Company 32974 per share. On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tie. 138 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$840 per share,

China Fire Insurance Company's Shares \$230 per share. Shares 5 per cent. premium. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s

Shares 323 per share premium. Shanghai Steam Navigation Company-Tla. 5 per share. China Coast Steam Navigation Company .- Tis.

100 per share. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-\$80 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$66 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited \$153

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1874-Nominal. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1877-Nominal.

SALES REPORTED BY CHINESE. White War -2 pieces at 874.00, by Min Kee to travelling trader. Sugar Candy-30 bags, at \$9.18, by Kwong Foong to travelling trader. Dried Lily Flowers -15 bags, at \$3,30, by Kwong Foong to travelling trader.

Chong to local trader. Red Dates-10 bags, at Tis. 5.1.0.0, by Wing Underweiting Business are annually dis-Lee Ching to travelling trader. Chefoo Vermicelli-82 bage, at \$7.10, by proportion to the premia paid by them. Kwong Sing Tai to travelling trader. Yellow Pens-1,500 piculs, at \$2.08, by Kweng Wo Chenne to travelling trader.

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indicate any increase over the mean average of their RAIN.—The hours of rain for the provious 94 hours (noon) are registered from 1 to 24, and the quantity of water fallen indicated in jucker, tone and immigrate.

INSURANCES. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above L Company, are prepared to GRANT IN SURANCES at Current Rates. MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents to the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 9th November, 1868.

COMPANY, FIRE AND LIFE. INSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduction in Premis for LIVE INSURANCE in China. MEYER & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, 3rd June, 1879 QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned are prepared to GRANT POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the subject to a Discount of 20 % on the premia.

NORTON & Co., Hongkong, January, 1876. LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

count of Twonty per cent. (20%) upon the current local rate of Premia will be allowed DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, 27th June, 1872 WISS LLOYD TEAMSPORT INSUR. ANCE COMPANY, WINTERTHUR, all parts of the World. MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 2nd June. 1879.

CTANDARD FIRE OFFICE, LONDON The Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS to the above Company at this Port, are

to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. Discount 20 %

Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. THE DUSSELDORF UNIVERSAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY; LIMITED:

been proposed to him by Marshal Vaillant, when The Undersigned, having been appointed he was War Minister under Napoleon III., for AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared the Isthmus of Suez. If a ship railway was to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS practicable, of course it could be built anywhere. to all parts of the World. SIEMSSEN & Co.

> Agents. Hongkong, 14th August, 1878. NOTICE. HE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD

of UNDERWRITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. DECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 4th September, 1879. THE LONDON ASSURANCE INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS

MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST. A.D. 1720. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-MARINE DEPARTMENT. Policies at current rates, payable either here,

in London, or at the principal Ports of India, of Policy. Chins, and Australia FIRE DEPARTMENT. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares- Policies issued for long or short periods at ourrent rates. .. A discount of 20 %, allowed. LIFE DEPARTMENT Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, st reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong. 26th July, 1879. VANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION. Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)...... Tls. 420,000 PERMANENT RESERVE Tls. 230,000 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND... Tls. 263,268

TOTAL CAPITAL and) ACCUMULATIONS, 8th \ Tls. 913,268 April, 1880 DIBECTORS. F. B. FOEBES, Esq., Chairman.

H. PINCKVOSS, Esq. F. D. HITCH, Esq. HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. LONDON BRANCH, Messes, BARING BROTHERS & Co.,

Bankers. RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent. 3, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.O. Policies granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. Mushrooms-2 packages, at \$5.40, by Chun Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the

Hongkong, 11th May, 1880

tributed among all Contributors of Business in CURRENT RATES to Australia, California, Manila, Singapore, Salgon, Penang, and to all RUSSELL & Co., the Treaty Ports of China and Japan. Head Office, 8 and 9, Praya West. Hongkong, 14th October, 1878.

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

DESTINATION VMBBEL'S NAME CAPTAIN FOR PRESENT APPLY TO AT TO BE DESPATCHED LONDON, VIA SURE CANAL Diomed (str.)... M. H. F. Jackson Hongkong Butterfield & Swire ... LONDON, via SUEZ CANAL. To day, at 5 P.M. Patroolus (str.)..... Butterfield & Swire M. R. White LONDON On or about 22nd inst. Ellida Winters Vogel & Co. Hongkong NEW YORK Quick despatch. Cantannial Rearso.... NEW YORK NEW YORK NEW YORK Vogol & Co.... Hongkong Quick despatch. Palectine Mayhard Vogel & Co. Hongkong Quick despatch. W. C. Warland Hongkong Twilight Vogel & Co..... Quick despatch. Wm. H. Margy Marcy Hongkong Quick despatch. NEW YORK... Wester Russell & Co..... SAN FRANCISCO, VIA Y'HAMA Hongkong Quick despatch. O. & O. B. Co. SAN FRANCISCO. Hongkong On 24th inst, at 3 P. Llewellyn J. Morae Russell & Co.... Ames SAIGON Quick despaich. Tueis (str.) Irvina Hongkong SAIGON, SINGAPORE, &c.... On 21st inst., Daylight. Poi ho (atr.) Pasqualini Hongkong YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO On 24th inst, at Noon. Merionethabire (atr.) Rickard Adamson, Bell & Co. Hongkong Quick despatch. On 29th inst, Daylight. YOKOHAMA, via Kobe, &c. ... Niigota-Maru (str.) Wynn Mitsu Bishi Mail S. Co. ... SHANGHAI Celtie Moneron Boper Russell & Co..... To-morrow, at Noon. Hongkong BHANGHAI, via Amor...... R. T. Power ... Tancer (str.) Butterfield & Swire To-morrow, at Daylight. Hongkong SHANGHAI, via Amor Anotises (atr.) C. Jankson Butterfield & Swire On or about 24th inst. EWATOW, AMOY, & F'CHOW Kwangtung (str.)... Abbott Douglas Laprait & Co..... Hongkong HOIHOW, PAKHOI, &c..... Ping-on (atr.) McCaslin Russell & Co..... Hongkong Quick-despatch.

INSURANCES.

THE Undersigned are prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on First-class Risks. A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Office. | 34? LINSTEAD & Co., Agents Sun Fire Office.

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

Hongkong, 1st June, 1878. NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG. THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT IN-

SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on firstclass risks at current rates. MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, 27th March, 1876. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

ROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %) upon the Current Local Rates of Premia will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company. DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. Hougkong, 27th June, 1872

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. THE Undersigned, having been appointed . Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risks against Fire at Current lates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. GERMAN LLOYD MARINE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF BERLIN. The Undersigned, having been appointed

AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to ll parts of the World. SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong, 6th February, 1879,

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. -- HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singspore, Saigon, Penang, Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance DIROM this date, until further notice, a dis. granted at the rates of Premium current at the above-mentioned places. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE.

> Hongkong, 1st November, 1871. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above A. Company, are prepared to grant Policies INSURANCES granted on MABINE RISES to against Fire to the extent of \$60,000 on any FIRT-CLASS RISKS.

at Carrent Rates. RETURN OF TWENTY PER CENT. (20%) will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, such BETUEN being payable on the sane of the Policy GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

Hongkong, let March, 1874. AANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1824.

CAPITAL OF THE COMPANY, £1,000,000 Sterling; OF WHICH IS PAID-UP ... £100,000 Sterling. ANNUAL INCOME £250,000 Sterling.

The Undersigned have been appointed Agents 122 for the above Company at Honewong, CANTON, FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI, and HANKOW, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates. Opposite the former site of the Chartered Bank HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 15th Optober, 1868.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-MARINE RISKS. Policies at Current Rates, payable either here

in London, or at the principal ports of India Australia and the East. A BROKERAGE of THIETT-THREE and ONE. THIRD PER CENT, will be allowed on all LOCAL RISKS. FIRE RISKS.

Policies granted on First-class Buildings to an extent of \$20,000. A DISCOUNT of TWENTY PER CENT. (20.%) upon the Carrent Local Rates will be allowed on all premium charged for insurance; such discount being deducted at the time of the issue

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkonig, Ist January, 1874 NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER AND SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL-£2,000,000 Twenty per cent. (20%).

GILMAN & Co., Agents. Hougkong, 7th July, 1874 THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED) CAPITAL TAEKS 600,000; EQUAL TO \$833,393,33

DIRECTORS. LEE SING of the Lai Hing Firm. Wong Yik Pun, of the Chun Cheong Wing

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INTIMATIONS. ALGAR AND COMPANY HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENTS.

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DEALER IN SILKS. Canton Gauzas, Embroidered Crape Shawla Lacquered and Ivory Wares, Curiosities, Ornaments, Inlaid Chairs & Tables, China Ware, &c.; GOLD AND SILVER JEWELLERS. ENGRAVER ON STAMPS, SEALS, &c., &c., lo. 48A, QUEEN'S ROAD, HONGKONG

AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and PORTER: DAVID CORSAR & SONS' Merchant Navy Navy Boiled CANVAS. Long Flax Crown

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, 11th May, 1867. FONG. PHOTOGRAPHER By Appointment to H.E. Sie ARTHUB KRN- and will have quick despatch. NEDY. H.E. Admiral RYDER, and H.I.H. The GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA, having roturned from his tour to Peking and the Northern Ports, has now the satisfaction to offer t LARDER, CHOICER, and more COMPLETE COL. LECTION of VIEWS, than any other in the Empire. Amongst the several places of great interest he has, at consider ble cost and trouble added what has bitherto been an unapproachable

mystery, "THE DRAGON THRONE," and solicits an inspection. IVORY MINIATURES of superior excellence and high finish, painted by native artists under careful supervision, from \$7. D. K. GRIFFITH holds authority to SIGN.

STUDIO, QUEEN'S ROAD, Nearly apposite the Honekone Hotel CINGAPORE GRAVING DOCKS

NOTICE. A CONSIDERABLE REDUCTION has been made since the 15th of February in the Rates for Dock Hire in the Graving Docks of THE A1 American Ship the undermentioned Companies in the Charges for Cleaning and Painting Iron Vessels, and for Coppering Wooden Vessels.

Tariff Rates can be had on Application at above Port, and will have quick despatch. either of the Companies' Offices in Singapore, or at the Offices of their respective London Agents. Mesers. PATERSON AND SIMONE, 39; Lime Street.

1606 For the New Harbour Dook Company, Limited, THE Al Garman Bark (Signed) CHARLES WISHART, Manager. Mossis, MACTAGGART, TIDMAN & Co., 34. Leadenhall Street. For the Tanjong Pagar Dook Company, Limited.

(Signed) E. M. SMITH. Managor, NOTICE. THE Undersigned Firm has been established in Hongkong for more than THIRTY

YEARS, and has never had a branch establishmentanywhere. All Orders for Goods have been executed under our own supervision and the best of materials need. We have always enjoyed the patronage and confidence of the Gentry and Merchants of Hongkong and Ports near and far, but new we are afraid that as another firm has lately been

started having a SIMILAR HONG NAME, our Customers may be misled and induced to think it is identical with ours. Accordingly we give notice that we have no CONNECTION WITH ANY OTHER FIRM, and respectfully ask our Customers and the Public to

RESERVE FUND UPWARDS | £120,000 Sterling, pay particular attention to our Address, given below, and our Chop, which is stamped on all our Goods, and without which none are genuine. SUN SHING Fancy Goods and Silks Shop,

62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. NOW ON SALE,

Hongkong, 9th April, 1880. IMPERIAL QUARTO,

WITH THE PUNTI AND MANDABIN PRONUNCIATION. Anglangle-Chinese Dictionary, published at the Daily Press Office, Hongkong.

For comprehensiveness and practical service this Work stands unrivalled. All the new. words which the Chinese have to late years been compelled to coin to express the numerous objects in machinery, photography, telegraphy and in science generally, which the rapid advance of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are here given in extense. Each and every word is fully illustrated and explained forming exercises for students of a most instructive nature. Both the Court and Punti pronunciations are given, the accents being carefully marked on the best principle hitherto attained. The typography displays the success of an attempt to make the Chinese and English type correspond in the size of hody, thereby effecting a vast economy of space, achieving a clearness not previously attained, and dispensing with those vast margins and vacant spaces which have heretofore charac-

terized Chinese publications. To illustrate the vast scope of the work, the following facts are submitted for consideration --Chalmers' Vocabulary contains about 16,000 Chinese characters, and Medharet's English THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for and Chinese Dictionary about 100,000, whilst the above Company, are prepared to grant; this work contains more than 50,000 English Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 words, and upwards of 600,000 Chinese characon any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, tors. Again, despite all the grammars and at the usual rates, subject to a discount of other plementary works as yet published, the student of this difficult language absolutely requires examples to display the various appli-cations and equivalents of different words which have one general meaning. Of these examples this work centains more than five times as many as any other Dictionary hitherto pub-

> For practical purposes the arrangement of the work is so complete; that a reference to its pages enables a person who understands English to communicate effectively with natives who understand nothing but Chiness. In this respect the work will be found indispensable to all Published at the Office of the Hongkong Daily Europeans residing in China, and to the natives themselves it explains subjects fully with which very few indeed of them are perfectly acquainted. To parties resident in England and interested in China it cannot but be invaluable occasion. It comprises upwards of two thousand large

quarto pages. A Large REDUCTION in PRICE is made to Purchasers of SIX or more Copies. LONDON: TRUBNER & Co., 60, PATERHORTER ROW,

RONGKONG

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL HE Company's Steamahip "PATROCLUS,"

Captain M. R. White, will be despatched on or about the 22nd instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 12th May, 1880. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. THE Steamship "MERIONETHSHIRE," Rickard, Commander, expected here on or abou the 16th instant, will have immediate despatel for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, 11th May, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. [29 | THE Al American Ship

"LLEWELLYN J. MORSE," Ames, Master, will load here for the above Port For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 26th April, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. THE Al American Bark

"JAMES S. STONE." Westen, Master, will lead here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hengkong, 26th April, 1880.

THE A1 American Ship. "WM. H. MARCY." Marcy, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK

RUBSELL & Co. Hongkong, 26th April, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. "TWILIGHT.

W. C. Warland, Master, will load here for th For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1880. FOR LONDON.

ELLIDA." Winters, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to -

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, 22nd April, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. THE Al American Ship.

"CENTENNIAL," Bearse, Master, will load here for the above Por and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, 9th April, 1880. FOR NEW YORK.

THE Al British Bark "PALESTINE," Maynard, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hengkong, 9th April, 1880.

YNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c. from NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED. can be had in any quantity on application to THE BORNEO CO., LIMITED.

Hongkong, 9th March, 1880. FOR BALE. MOLISH AND CHINESE O HAMPAGNE, 1874, STRATHEARN, British bark, Anderson, Robario HEIDSIECK & Co.'s MONOPOLE

DEETJEN & Co. Hongkong. 2nd July, 1877. FOR SALE. OUTLER PALMER'S

CELEBRATED WINES AND COGNAC. Price List on application. F. BLACKHEAD & Co. Hongkong, 1st November, 1877. FOR SALE. TICTIONNAIRE CHINOIS-FRAN.

CAIS ET LATIN By M. DE GUIGNES. vol. strongly bound, and in excellent condition. Apply to LEONG ARTT, Daily Press Office. FOR SALE. CHAS. HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 1874. "WRISSLACK." \$20 per case of 2 dozen pints.

\$19 per case of I dozen quarts.

CHATEAU LEOVILLE POYFERRE, 1869; "VIN DES PRINCES." \$18.....per case of I dozen quarta. PALMER MARGAUX. \$7per case of I dozen quarts, 38per case of 2 dozen pints. CHATEAU BELAIR \$7per case of I dozen quarte LORMONT. 35por ease of I donen quarts.

\$6per case of 2 dozen pints.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, 13th February, 1880. THINA OVERLAND TRADE REPORT. COMMERCIAL JOURNAL for CHINA, JAPAR, Press on the Morning of the Departure of the English Mail.

contains the LATEST AND FULLEST TRADE INTELLIGENCE. REPORTS OF MEETINGS OF COMPANIES, THE LATEST TELEGRAMS.

together with the POLITICAL AND GENERAL NEWS of the Fortnight. The "Trade Report" has a large circulation in Hengkong, the Ports of China and Japan, the Philippints, Straits Settlements do, do "L'Ally Press" Overen Windman St. Longkong, Brd October, 1877;

VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR AIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POIN

DE GALLE. ADEN, SUEZ. ISMALIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES. AND MARSEILLES: PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA

AND ALL INDIAN PORTS. AN MONDAY, the 24th day of May, 1880, at Noon, the Company's Steamship PEI-HO." Commandant PASQUALINI, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CAR. GO, will leave this Port for the above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for Lon-

don as well as for Marsoilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until Noon, and Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M. on the 23rd To-morrow, at Daylight. of May, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are will be despatched on MONDAY, the 24th

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Hongkong, 10th May, 1880. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PAS.

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THE Steamship "BELGIC" will be des natched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama. on MONDAY, the 24th May, 1880, at 3 P.M. taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama with Stea mers from Shanghai Freight will be received on board until 4 P.M. on the 23rd May. PARCEL PACKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 P.M. same day. 814 All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PASSAGE TICKETS Consular Invoices to accompany Overland

Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo

dressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-

should be sent to the Company's Offices, ad

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MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

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Carlowitz & Co. HAMBURG, German bark, Kroge,-Ed. Scholl-HANKOW, British steamer, Symington.-Siems-HERMINE, German bark, Meyer. Captain. JOSEFA, German bark, Horstmann, Melchers KANG-CHI, Chinese steamer, Peterson. - C. M.

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A MATL WITH CLOSE For Foochow. Por Killarney, to-day, the 19th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow,-Per Kwangtung, to-day, the 19th inst., at 5 P.M. For Haiphong, Pakhai, and Hoihow, To-day, the 19th instant, at 5 P.M. For Shanghal .- Per Celtie Monarch, to-morrow, the 20th instant, at 11.30 A.m. For Saigon .- Per Tunis, to-morrow, the 20th instant, at 5 P.M.

His Excellency the Governor is pleased to order, under Section XII, of the Post Office Ordinance, 1876; that the Late Fee charged on Correspondence posted after pertain hours for Europe, America. the Australian Colonies. Shanghai, &c., shall be 10 Cents, instead of 18

as hitherto. MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet "PEI-HO!" instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, via Naples: to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras,

Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT MAILS. THE ENGLISH MAIL -- DAY OF DEPARTURE. 1 P.M. Money Order Office closes.

3 P.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 4 P.M., Mails closed, except for Late Letters. 4.10 P.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 4.30 P.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 4.40 P.M. Late Letters may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until

time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL SATURDAY-E.K., Money Order Office closes. Post Office closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours.

IONDAY-A.M. Post Office opens O.A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 1 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 1.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 1.80 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 LM., Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 18 Cents until

time of departure. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET The United States' Mail Packet "BELGIC" will be despatched on MONDAY, the 24th instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows 2.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

2.30 r.m. Post Office closes, but Letters (except

extra Postage until the time of departure.

for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on

board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents

Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

except the Bahamas and Hayti), Monte Video, Paraguay, and Urnguay, cannot be sent by this REGULATIONS -AS-TO-SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' 1.—Privates in H.M. Army or Navy, Noncommissioned Officers, Army Schoolmasters (not Superintending or First Class) or Schoolmistresses may send half-ounce letters to the United Kingdom via Brindisi or via Marseilles at the rate of four cents (twopence) each, which may be prepaid either in Imperial or in Hongkong Stamps.

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For further Particulars, apply at the Comto seven weeks on the voyage,
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&c., in fall, 7 .- If to a Soldier or Sailor, his class and description, with name of regiment, ship, &c., must be stated in full. 8 .- Soldiers and "Sailors have no privileges with regard to books or papers, nor can these be prepaid with Imperial Stams.

* But not Warrant Officers, viz. - Assistant Engineer, Gunner, Boatswain, or Carpenter. To provide means of remitting small auma if money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office are allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from for

reign residents. The Stamps tendered for sale minst not exceed \$50 in value, must be perfectly clean, in good condition, and in strips of at least two, as no separate Stamps will be purchased. They must be presented personally or accompanied Letters containing Stamps should be registered, and the Stamps should be secured from

LETTERS FOR THE UNITED STATES BY SAILING When it is desired to forward letters to the United States by a sailing ship which is not notified as carrying a mail, it is only necessary to post the letters in the ordinary way, marked with the name of the ship, and prepaid B cents per half ounce as usual. This Office then under-Twillight, American ship, Warland,-Vogel takes the duty of obtaining notice of departure and despatching the correspondence. It is requested that the letters be posted if possible at least one day before the date fixed for sailing.

Many boxes of letters are received at the Post fastened with sealing war, but there is no impression of a seal. The attention of boxholders is called to the necessity of carefully sealing such boxes with some recognisable seal, and of sending a chitbook or receipt with them. The omission of the latter precaution leaves a doubt as to whether the contents of the box ever reached the Post Office; the omission of the former, as to whether part of them might not have been ab-

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> ment of the Hongkong Post Office. 5.- No compensation can be paid for mere damage to fragile articles such as portraits, watches, handsomely bound books, to, which reach their destination, although in a broken ar deteriorated condition.

tion by fire, or shipwreck, nor by the dishonesty or negligence of any person not in the employ.

stracted for the sake of the Postage Stamps. hamas, and Hayti), for Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay can no longer be sent via San INDUCATION IN ENGLAND. STAMP OFFICE.

EXTRACTS. THE FOUNTAIN IN THE DESERT. In a desert wide and lonely, Lovely flowers bloomed unseen. Where, in all the waste around them, Never mortal step had been Yet the flowers every morning Moistoned were with early dow, And the song birds in the twilight To their sheltering branches flow. From afar there came a pilgrim, Passing through the desert wild, And he rested, faint and weary, Where the rosy blossoms smiled; While the happy birds above him Warbled in the evening hours, As the pilgrim slumbored dronning Of a fount boside the flowers. When the pilgrim wake at morning Underneath the blazing sky, Parched with thirst, he scanned the desert, Hoping only but to die. But remembrance of his dreaming Came his lonely heart to cheer, . And he found beside the flowers A fountain sparkling frosh and clear. Then, courageous and undaunted,

Rose the pilgrim from the sand,

Till he reached his native land.

Thus may all earth's pilgrims gather

Drink in life's untrodden ways.

-Tinsley's Magazine

Flowers of hope and love and praise, And from fresh and spackling fountains

And pursued his weary journey

A PAIR OF TROUSERS. A short time, back a contributor to a contemporary had a vision of a pair of trousers was prone to be disloval. bought in the Temple, Paris, five-and-twenty years ago. "It was in the early days of the ourselves. It chanced that one of our number was favoured, some time during the winter season of 1854, with an invitation to a grand ball to be given at the Hotel de Ville. Evening dress was de riqueur. A possessed, but the requisite black pantaloons of fashionable society were lacking. What was to be done? We had all of us the subscription among ourselves, and our friend was enabled to trudge to the Marché du Temple, where, for the sum of twelve francs. he purchased a pair of the blackest and shiniest black trousers that I ever behold. He went to the ball at the Hotel de Ville. He danced, he supped, a little too copiously, perproduced his handkerchief to remove the un-

A MUSICAL DUEL. ancient code of honour. The scene of this whose will is supreme. latest hostile meeting was no remote glade As a young man he was fond of pleasure, sham self gets mixed up with our real self, it was forbidden to either party to per- | band. form any piece of dance music, but the

plaid trousers that had been dyed black.

bibit signs of mental alienation." THE LATE PRINCE CONSORT'S

VIEWS ON DEATH. difference or distaste for life. He enjoyed by our ingratitude." eternity. He was ready to live, ready to ting official accounts that his Majesty's con- into a state of coma, to revive a little while die, not because I wish to be happier, as he trol over the public purse is practically after, withher eventually to succumb to the ready to go. He did not do what was right | wasteful sort of prodigality which is called | concluding words of the chronicler of this | Bullion for the sake of a reward hereafter, but, as magnificence. Privately, therefore, ha is singular battle, "It is thought it will re- Charlwood he always said, because it was right. - thought to be rich, and Emperors have been cover," were justified by the event - All the Chas. Donnie Theodore Martin's Life of the Prince Contort. so often sent upon their travels, that perhaps Year Round,

ANECDOTAL PHOTOGRAPHS.

THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA. little promise that he would turn out one of very fond of play-going, but he was never the ablest and most astute Sovereigns of the mixed up much with actors or notresses. He house of Hapsburg-Lorraine. He became has many of the finest saddle horses in Emporor when he was just eighteen years old, Europe; but he has never gone on the Turf and was then probably the best horseman, like Napoleon III, who rade badly, and the best waltzer, and the best shot in his George IV., who could hardly ride at all. His dominions. He had a remarkably elegant household is carefully, and even parsimonifigure, and looked well in his general's uni- ously, managed. He will never want money, form of silver grey and scarlet. He was a and so there is not much chance of his having handsome, winning lad. His eyes were parti- noisy altercations with his subjects. Indeed, cularly expressive and vivacious; the family should any serious European trouble come lip was not unpleasantly developed. His about, it is not unlikely that he may survive voice was agreeable, his manners undeniably the Austro-Hungarian Constitution. - Truth, good. In fact he had been carefully trained by his mother, the Archduchess Sophia, a tall, vigorous-minded hidy, with many of the qualities of an honest man. His tutor also, several battles between ants, and, in some the Count de Bombelles, was a very respect- instances, the ourious conduct of the captors able man, who had taken care that he should towards their prisoners, which think is worth be taught all the idioms of the Empire, so mentioning. The most noted battle took that, in the matter of personal accomplish- place July, 1878, between two colonies of red ments and physical development, he was all ants. The victorious army were medium in that could be desired. In other respects he size and numbered many thousands; those was a vexatious boy. He got into a trouble- captured were a much larger ant, but not so

band of young English and American bro- his army. Even Prince Felix Schwartzen- think this battle was for no other purpose than thers domiciled in Paris, very fond of talking burg, his Prime Minister, who had put him to secure the sweet supposed to be in the about the pictures which we meant to paint on the throne, and held him there, found him stomache of the captives. These ants were and the novels and plays which we meant intractable as soon as he could sit alone. kept prisoners just one week, when they were to write, and much fonder of amusing Indeed, he tormented Schwartzenburg into a literated, marched off in a body and never nervous fever, and one day vexed him so returned. They were probably kept confined cruelly in Council that he died in a fit of until their sweets were exhausted, and then auger and mortification an hour afterwards. allowed to go free. - A. MILLEB, in the Ame-He had got a military craze, and thought of rican Naturalist. nothing but big drums and courts-martial. claw hammer coat' and dress waistcoat be He resolved not only to be his own Minister of War, but his own Commander-in-Chief. and actually marched against the French in 1859 as generalissimo of his troops. The our identity rests on memory. But if the battle of Solferino followed, in which he got latter as is erring as we have seen, the thinnest pair of sable trousers available a scare, and then the peace of Villa Franca, forms can bardly be as absolutely ceramongst us. So we made a friendly little which took much of the nonsense out of him. tain and incorruptible as some thinkers In the spring of 1860 his crowns seemed would make out. It point of fact, this hardly worth three months purchase, but a sense of identity is liable to take strange notable change had passed over the cantan- forms, and to play us odd pranks. In kerous young fellow of a few years before, dreams we often distinctly lose all hold on and he steered through adverse currents, ourselves, and take up the curious position hidden rocks, and perils without number into of spectators at a transformation scene, in smooth water. He checkmated the Hungarian which our respectable Ego is playing a sort Patriots while they were putting on their war of game of "bo-peep" with us. And what him on one of his visits to the buffet gently re. paint, and blew away the tobacco clouds of happens in dreams may happen in waking minded him that he had suffered some warm the German Socialists before they could get life. Every act of intense sympathy is for punch to trickle over one of the knees of his into his subjects heads. He granted to the time a confusion of our sense of identity. black dress pantaloons. Promptly our friend fiery Magyar his ancient liberties; he gave to Waking imagination, too, leads to a fictitious able editors and fussy citizens a full and com- expansion of ourselves. Thus the novelist plete Constitution, warranted to be all that tolls us that while he is writing his stories bed, but the spot did not disappear. It they could desire; and he has been ever since he is wont for the nones to project himself the unquestioned personal ruter of his Em- into the figures, identifying himself with pire. He had to count with such men as them. And our study of the phosphenes grew larger, and it grew at last a brilliant red. In the midst of an ocean of shiny black

there was disclosed to his alarmed eyes an island of the puttern and hue of the Royal trouble, nor has Prince Auersberg. They mistake dream fancy for waking fact is not Stuart tartan. He was wearing a pair of have been one and all convenient instruments perhaps to lose the sense of identity, since our of the Court policy, and nothing more. The dreams are, after all, a part of our personal difference between the Kaiser and the Czaris experience; but to imagine that we have The art of duelling, says a writer in the that the Czar is nominally an autocrat, and actually seen what we have simply heard Globe, seems capable of being extended to really powerless; whereas the Kaiser is from another's lips, is clearly to confess fields unthought of in the philosophy of the nominally a Sovereign of limited powers the boundaries of our identity. Thus, through

or dell, but a liouse in the town of Valpa- and for even galloping after it with a loose so that we cannot, strictly speaking, be sure raiso; and the antagonists were no military rein. Now his tastes are very simple, and his that when we project ourselves into a remote fire-enters or journalistic rivals, but two pro- hibits as domestic as circumstances will per- past we are not really running away from our fessors of music. The weapons chosen were, mit. So domestic, indeed, are they that a true personality.—Combill. moreover, not such as are usually included Russian Prince of the Imperial family who in the arsenal of the duellist, but were in. visited him soon after the birth of the Archstruments with which the performers are duke Rudolph found his Majesty in the

the Imparcial declares that all of them "oxral, pacified Hungary for him, some person, It was characteristic of the Prince Consort | who had no knowledge of the hearts of kings, remarked that it was an inestimable service.

it, and was happy and cheerful in his work, Of late_years the Kaiser has become po- sleep in his own house. in his family circle, in loving thoughtfulness | pular. He has a kind word and alms for any for others, and in the sweet returns of af- one who wants them, when there is a floor or fection which this brought back to himself. a fire of more than ordinary destructiveness. But he had none of the strong yearning for He puts his grudges against the Liberal party did wrong, and when people did not do their the paper rouble nowadays. At present things coils from about, him, the squirrel flung his duty; it was this power he had of taking in- look much more cheerful. This is the more fee from him dead. Then, and not till then, terest in everything, attending to everything, creditable also because the Constitution na- did he show any sign of having been harmed, which prompted those blessed feelings about turally provides so many means of manipula- but the battle won, the gallant victor dropped

he may hold some foreign investments; but he has never been accused of rapacity, and The youth of Kaiser Francis-Joseph gave his personal wants are few. He used to be

ANT BATTLES.

I have within the past few years witnessed

some habit of stalking about the streets on numerous. The large ants, after a desperate the watch for officers who had something the resistance, were forced out of their fort, four matter with their uniform, and old beroes, or five small auts holding on the antenue who were under the impression that they had and legs of the prisener. The captives were eaved the Monarchy, were abashed at being usually taken a few inches from the fort and put under arrest by a stripling, who had not liberated. All the ants returned to the fight yet got a moustache. They had to remember except one, who would stand facing his that he had really showed pluck and spirit at captive for a few moments, then taking hold Raab and Comorn to enable them to gulp of the antenne of the prisoner give three or down their indignation when he played at four pulls; after waiting a short time the pulsoldiering in this fashion. And he was al- ling was repeated with more determination; ways at it, so that apoplectic field-officers were | the big ant not responding, he was savagely obliged to fasten every one of the buttons of jerked, then he would lean forward, and their tunics immediately after dining at the drop a sweet issuing from his mouth, the Stadt Frankfurt, where they mostly congre- little ant would approach and drink the gated, and their language in warm weather nectar, then pick up his captive and hurry home. This was repeated many times dur-He was a cross-grained boy, too, and gave ing the battle. Some of the prisoners gave as much bother to his civil government as to up their sweets without so much pulling. I

> MENTAL ELASTICITY AND PER SONAL IDENTITY. It is commonly said by philosophers that

Buol and Rechberg, as he had had to count of memory has told us that all of us are with Felix Schwartzenburg. Count Andrassy, liable to extend this idea of self beyond Lowever, and Count Beust have given him no the limits of our personal experience. To the corruption of our memories, a sort of

MISERIES OF AN IMPERIAL LIFE. The Daily Telegraph says :- A thorough more at home than they would probably be nursery, actively engaged in washing his Im- investigation of every habitable and unwith sword or pistol. The challenge was no perial, Royal, and Apostolic Highness the habitable portion of the Winter Palace having other than a proposal to play a match at the Crown Prince of his nine kingdoms and one at length been completed, and the police pieno-a species of contest which, though not Empire. The Empress had no taste for such authorities having satisfied themselves that so sanguinary in appearance as a fight of the functions, even as a spectator. He has an no danger of another attempt upon the Czar's ordinary kind, turned out to be in reality extraordinary number of titles. He is King life within the walls of his town residence is Strat more fatal and deplorable. At the appointed of Hungary, of Bohemia, of Dalmatia, of at present to be apprehended, his Majesty hour the two professors were seated at their Croatia, of Esclavonia, of Galicia, of Lodo now resides in the Palace again, sleeping, W. S. respective planes, and commenced a perform meria, of Illyria, and of Jerusalem. He is however, in a different apartment every ance which lasted without intermission for also Duke of Lorraine, as well as of a multi- night. According to the St. Petersburg corre-48 hours before the defeated party, gave in. tude of other duchies; and it is therefore spondent of the Cologne Gazette, to whose in When he did so, and was taken up off the strange that we should has been recently teresting and trustworthy reports from keyboard on which he had fallen face told, on so high an authority as that of Prince the Russian capital we have frequently downwards, he was found to be quite dead, Bismarck himself, that the Emperor Wilhelm had occasion to refer, the life actually while his rival was carried from the room offered to confer upon him a title which be- led by the Russian Emperor in his magto the hospital, where he is not expected longs, beyond all question, to his brother of nificent abode is pitiably dismal. No to recover. By the terms of the combat Austria, as heir of Marie Therèse and her hus- nourishment, either solid or liquid, that has not been tasted in his presence by some No monarch has eaten so much humble pie official personage ever passes his lips. His repetition of the same piece over and as the clever middle-aged gentleman who now bath is examined every morning by the meover again was not prohibited. Consequently sits on the throne of the Hapsburgs. He was dical officers of his household before he venthe unsuccessful player had executed the beaten by the French, and had to be civil on tures to use it, and seldom approaches a "Miserère" from the opera of "Il Trovatore" more than one occasion afterwards to Napo- stove or fireplace, lest some explosive mate-150 times, and was about to recommence it lean III., although he felt a personal dislike rial concealed among the fuel, should have once more when he expired in the manner to him. He was beaten by the Russians, for been secretly introduced into it. Before above described. Perhaps, however, the whom he cherished as hereditary antipathy he retires to rest, his bed-room and dressingmost curious feature in the encounter was and contempt, yet he has embraced his room, as well as the apartments contiguous Christ the effect produced upon the seconds by the Imperial brother Wilhelm, of Hobenzollern, to them on the upper and lower floors, are Minus 48 hours' spell of competitive music. There several times without any visible signs of re- submitted to a rigorous inspection. His were four of these auxiliaries present, and pugnance. He has had to do violence to his Majesty appears extremely nervous, takes no feeling over and over again, with regard to interest in State business, and exhibits the Czar. It is said that he even foresaw the total indifference even to the military details necessity which he should be under of so doing which have hitherto constituted his favourite long ago. When Luders, the Russian gene- occupation. Such, as we are, assured, is Fried the existence of the all-powerful Czar at the Heeh present time. The poorest of his subjects H. Bi need not envy an autocrat who, though sur- Luin with an equanimity by no means common in "Yes," replied Francis Joseph, drily, "and rounded by splendour and luxury of every men of his years. This was owing to no in- you will see that we shall astonish the world description, is the prey of a settled melan- N.N. choly and scarcely dares to eat, drink, or

FIGHT BETWEEN A SQUIRREL AND A RATTLESNAKE. A rattleanake, on exhibition in Cincinnati, life and fulness of years which is felt by those into his pocket, and does not set his family came off, second best in a combat with a who shrink from looking beyond "the warm liars to rant at them in society. Perhaps he seemingly insignificant for a small squirrel, precincts of the genial day" into a strange is even with them in his own way, and provided for its meal after six months. and uncertain future. He had no wish to radicals are not half so much in fashion at abstinence. Immediately the squirrel was die, but he did not care for living. Not long Vienna as at Berlin. It is said he has the put in the cage the snake sprang its rattle, before his fatal illness, in speaking to the Royal fault of vindictiveness, and that he and prepared to strike. A quick glance Queen, he said: "I do not cling to life. never forgives, but if so he keeps his own around showing the intended victim there You do; but I set no store by it. If I knew counsel with praise-worthy discretion and was no opening for an escape, he gallantly that those I love were well cared for, I should strikes silently. He enjoys the exercise of faced the fee. Suddenly a sickly gleam of be quite ready to die to-morrow." In the his Imperial functions, and has no other livid white shot across the cage and struck same conversation, he added: "I am sure, amusement or occuption than those which the little creature below the neck. Springing if I had a severe illness, I should give up at belong to his office. He is neither a glutton forward he caught the rattlesnake's tail be- M. Leba once; I should not struggle for life. I have nor a toper, nor given to licentiousness. He tween his teeth; there was a sound like the Oscar V no tenacity of life. This was said without a is up by times in the morning, coming re- crushing of chicken bones, a hideous hiss, an trace of sadness; he was content to stay, if ports and memorials. He keeps a sharp eye agonised wriggle of the long speckled body, such were Heaven's will; he was equally on all the departments of State, and he sees and the squired was in the serpent's toils, ready to go hence, should that will be other- especially into appointments and promotions. while the fragments of its bony rattles fell wise. Death in his view was but the portal Several of the Ministers, particularly these on the floor in tiny slivers. The manyto a further life, in which he might hope for who had high notions of the new Constitution coloured folds tightened round the brave Batavia a continuance, under happier conditions, of have been amazed to find the Kaiser-so well little fellow, the snake's wide-open jawa Chington all that was best in himself and in those he posted up in the essential part of their busi- threatened him closely, there was another II.H.M. loved, unclogged by the weaknesses, and un- ness, and to perceive that he had the keenest flash of white; but the squirrel, never quail-. Sea Nymp saddened by the failures, the misunderstand- possible preception of the interests of his ing, did not let the fange reach him this ings, the sinfulness, and the sorrows of Crown and dynasty. He has not done so time. Catching the rattlesnake just below earthly existence. "This spirit," the Queen badly with his opportunities since Sadowa, the head, he set his teeth together with a writes in a memorandum in 1862, "this which of course disturbed many calculations. will, and held on until the reptile's eyes beautiful, cheerful spirit it was, which made Twenty years ago people were prepared for a started out. Then came a crackling sound, him always happy, always contented, though national bankruptcy in Austria; the paper an opening of the fanged mouth, some horhe felt so deeply and so acutely when others | florin was at a discount worse than that of rible convulsive movements; and shaking the Forward

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